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RUSSIANS FLEE PETROGRAD AS GERMAN TROOPS PRESS ONWARD FROM ISLANDS IN GULF OF RIGA

Situation Doubly Perilous Because of Russian International Difficulties.

NEWSPAPERS ALARMED

Russians Zola Hopes for Resurrection as Nation is Led Toward Calvary? Invasion of Mainland on the Coast of Estonia is Expected.

By Associated Press.
PETROGRAD, Oct. 15.—The German forces which were landed on Oesel island at the head of the Gulf of Riga, are pushing forward to the east and south, facing in a different position the Russian army and batteries in the district of Arensburg at the southern end of the island and especially those on the Carel peninsula.

Military critics predict action in the Gulf of Riga followed by developments of the invasion of the mainland on the coast of Estonia rather than an attempt toward the Gulf of Finland which is protected by mine fields which the Germans would have to sweep under the menace of the Russian fleet.

The landing of the Germans has increased the exodus from Petrograd which has been noticeable since the fall of Riga. Since Saturday the ticket offices have been besieged, many persons offering premiums for tickets.

The newspapers exhibit alarm at the landing of the Germans on the island. The Bourse Gazette says the situation of the country is the more complicated because a solution must be found not only of the unsatisfactory state of affairs in the interior but of the problem presented by the closing of the Gulf of Riga to the Germans.

"We are being led toward our Calvary but perhaps we shall find our resurrection."

GERMANS OCCUPY CAPITOL OF ISLAND OF OESSEL

PETROGRAD, Oct. 15.—German forces which landed on the Russian island of Oesel at the head of the Gulf of Riga on Friday, occupied Arensburg, the capital of the island, on Saturday, it was officially announced today, by the Russian war office.

Arensburg is on the southern shore of Oesel island. The northern coast of German war ships, the statement adds, dispatched a torpedo boat squadron between Oesel and Dago islands, which, pressed by the Russian patrols and Russian naval forces, reinforced the patrol and accepted battle whereupon the German ships retired.

Fighting for Oesel island, the war office announced, continued all day yesterday.

A third group of German warships, consisting of cruisers and torpedo boats, approached the southwest coast of Oesel island and bombarded important points of the coast. German submarines were observed at various times and places in the Baltic.

BERLIN, via London, Oct. 15.—Rapid progress has been made by the German troops which landed on the Russian island of Oesel, according to the official statement issued today by the German war office. German ships sighted the Russian land batteries and silenced them. Scarcely a peninsula has been cut off from the northern part of the island.

ARTILLERY ACTION PRECEDES ANOTHER DRIVE BY RIGS

Heavy artillery actions are again in progress on the Flanders front. London's official report today speaks of a strong bombardment of the new British position on the Pashendeale-Ghelvelt ridge south of Ibroodseinde. In the light of previous experience, this may be viewed as indicating German counter-battery work against the intensive British artillery fire in progress preparatory to another push.

The British artillery now has superior positions from which to bombard the German lines. By this time have been ample opportunity for the heavy guns to have been put in position on the dominating high ground in the recent offensive. It thus seems possible that Field Marshal Haig will not delay his next stroke beyond the time when these guns have an opportunity to break up such concrete obstructions as the Germans have been able to construct in what they describe as their "defensive zone" which week by week is being forced further eastward.

The weather, however, is a decidedly important element in this consideration, as the continuation of hard storms not only keeps the ground in a state well-nigh prohibitive of co-ordinated infantry advance, but interferes seriously with the vital aerial observation work.

The situation on the Russian northern front continues critical with the Germans overrunning the island of Oesel and rapidly pursuing their program of gaining complete control of the Gulf of Riga. Petrograd itself is considered in no immediate danger as hundreds of miles still lie between the Germans and the Russian capital.

Dancer Shot as Spy.
PARIS, Oct. 15.—Maurice, the Dutch dancer and adventurer, who two months ago was found guilty by a court-martial on the charge of espionage, was shot at dawn this morning.

EXEMPTION CLAIMS OF 19 IN DISTRICT NO. 2 ARE GRANTED

Appellate Board Permits the Discharge of 19 on Industrial Grounds.

Appeals from the decisions of the exemption board in No. 2 district have resulted in the granting of 19 exemptions, according to word received here today. Fifteen of these were on industrial grounds.

Two of the claims, those of Aloysius Priel and Joseph H. Scarry, made by their employers, were among those granted. These two, however, had waived exemption and are now in Camp Lee.

The claims granted by the Greensburg board will not decrease the number of available draftees sufficiently to warrant another call, however. Many more than the required quota were called in No. 2 district and there are still many who have not been summoned to leave for camp.

Those exempted follow:

J. Rudolph Ralston, Harry Herbert, Harry C. Hoop, Watson H. Eberhart, Giovanni Mongelli, Gustave R. Blum, James Leichter Bell, George Melvin Clasper, Louis Dalasso, Robert C. Glassburn, Wade Hinson, Fred Smith Butternore, John A. W. Glasco, Louis Gallardi, Lawrence Harold Plunk, Andy Malik, Lewis Ross Madison.

BUYS LIBERTY BONDS

Bell Telephone Company Subscribers \$5,000,000 Worth.

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company and its associated companies, forming the Bell system, announce a subscription in behalf of themselves and their employees for \$5,000,000 of the second Liberty Loan.

The subscription is to be paid in installments, or sections of the country, as nearly as may be, in proportion to the quotas assigned by the Treasury Department to the various federal reserve districts, so that such district will get credit for its proportionate share of the total sum. The actual subscription will be made in each locality by the associated companies operating in such locality.

There is also announced the adoption of a plan whereby employees of the companies above mentioned may purchase Liberty Bonds through these companies, paying for them in weekly or monthly installments, by deductions from pay.

LARGE OWNERS OF LIBERTY BONDS NOT FREE FROM TAX

Large subscribers are not patronizing the present Liberty loan to such an extent as they did the first one, according to J. A. Armstrong, cashier of the Second National bank, because bonds over \$5,000 are not free from war tax, surtax, and income tax, as are the bonds of lesser denominations. On the first issue, a man could buy any amount of the bonds without being liable to these taxes. This provision of the new loan is not generally known.

Local banks are selling plenty of bonds to small subscribers, but the present drive has not equalled the drive to make the first loan successful. Now, however, with the Boy Scouts and G. M. Swartzwelder, from Camp Lee, working to sell bonds, and with a woman's organization of workers a possibility, the prospects for a big jump in subscriptions are good.

RAZING SCHOOL

Duggan's Men Tearing Down the Old Fourth Ward Building.

Contractor John Duggan, Sr., has begun the razing of the old Fourth ward school building, condemned for school purposes by the state. Mr. Duggan will use the windows and some of the brick in the new market house which he is building under the Western Maryland trustee on West Side. Mr. Duggan paid the school board \$100 for the building and will tear it down at his own expense.

The statue of Zachariah Connell, carved from wood by John Kilpatrick, who built the school, will undoubtedly be preserved.

A. E. CABLE HURT

Struck by Bricks While Tearing Down Old Ovens.

Austin E. Cable of Washington avenue, 75 years old, while assisting in tearing down some old ovens at Broad Ford Saturday afternoon, suffered an injury to the back, when some bricks fell upon him.

He was removed to the Cottage State hospital where it was discovered that his injuries were slight.

Children Must be Vaccinated

Today was the last day that children not vaccinated were allowed to attend school. The code requires that all school children must be vaccinated.

Take Civil Service

A class of four for rural carrier and two for the position of postmaster at Obiopolis, took the civil service examination here Saturday.

NATIONAL ARMY MEN RETURN FROM CAMP TO SELL LIBERTY BONDS

G. M. Swartzwelder is Back Home for Brief Stay; John Brown Also Here.

Along with about 30 other National Army men from towns in this section, G. M. Swartzwelder, of South Prospect street, who went to Camp Lee from District No. 2 in the first five per cent bunch, arrived home on Saturday night on a five-day furlough to sell Liberty Bonds. Private John Brown also arrived home Saturday night on a furlough. Both say they like Camp Lee.

Dr. J. F. Kerr, a member of District No. 2 board, went to Baltimore on Friday night and accompanied the National Army men to Connellsville. Swartzwelder started out this morning and will work up until Thursday morning when he leaves for the camp in order to answer the roll call on Friday morning. He was not required to sell any specified number. The Camp Lee soldiers have pledged a large sum of money as their share of the loan.

Swartzwelder says he enjoys camp life and although everything is due, it is not just quite like home.

Two per cent of the amount of the subscription will be collected by Swartzwelder when he sells a bond. He takes the money to camp with him and later it will be returned to the bank with which the purchaser deals, where the future payments will be made and the certificate secured. Each soldier makes both trips on his own expense, it only being through a courtesy of the officers of the regiment that he is released on a furlough.

At present Swartzwelder is attached to the medical department as a clerk. He has been doing clerical work since his arrival at the camp. He expects a transfer to the regimental sanitary detachment soon.

The third contingent which left here Sunday a week ago are in the 319th Infantry. The 319th is now divided up, each company having 250 men. Although the barracks accommodate only 150 men, and the others have to sleep in overflow barracks, the entire regiment messes together. No soldiers are as yet fully equipped.

John Brown will return Wednesday morning to camp in his car. Every thing is fine at the camp. Brown says he has no complaints to make. Money and cigarettes, however, are very scarce.

GIANTS AT BAY

Must Win Today or Series Will Go to Sox.

By Associated Press.
POLO GROUNDS, N. Y., Oct. 15.—The Chicago White Sox are today knocking at the gates of victory while the New York Giants throw in their last reserves to hold the key to the world series. A defeat today for the Giants and the American League wins the baseball honors, while a victory for the champions of the National League would give them an equal chance in the final contest.

The national baseball commission took steps to prevent repetition of the alleged roughness on the part of players in the world series games at Chicago last Saturday. Prior to this afternoon's contest here, the umpires were instructed to warn managers McGraw and Rowland, they will be held responsible for unseemly conduct of their men.

Players participating in series will be forbidden to engage in post series games. It was announced by the commission that from each player's share in the series money, the sum of \$1,000 is to be retained till January 1 as a means of enforcing the rule.

The score at the end of the fifth inning was Chicago 3, New York 2.

MORE CONTRIBUTIONS

Hospital Victoria Fund Now Totals \$18K.

Since Saturday the Cottage State hospital Victoria fund has increased from \$100 to \$138. Additional donations are as follows:

John Duggan, Sr., \$5; Fred Muck, \$2; Robert Norris, \$5; cash, \$5; William Kilpatrick, \$5; Harry Dull, \$5; W. R. Scott, \$5; Dr. J. F. Kerr, \$5; F. W. Wright, \$5.

Charles F. Hood of Isabelle Road, donated 25 records. The fund is still open to all who desire to contribute.

EMBARGO LIFTED

Inbound Freight Again Being Received in Connellsville.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad company has lifted its embargo on inbound freight to Connellsville, and freight is being received again this morning. The outbound freight embargo was lifted Saturday.

The embargoes had been placed as a result of the recent clerks' strike.

Won't Broaden Inquiry

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Chairman Foner of the Senate committee investigating Senator LaFollette's St. Paul speech, today refused LaFollette's request that the inquiry virtually be broadened to acquit him or convict him of disloyalty, and held that the investigation should only concern the much discussed speech and the accuracy of its statements.

May Open Old Quarry

There are rumors that the old Joyce quarry, near Casparis, will be reopened by the Joyce interests of Pittsburgh. It is over 26 years since the quarry was worked.

PRESIDENT MAKES APPEAL FOR LIBERTY BOND BUYING

Sets Aside Wednesday, October 24, as "Liberty Day" Throughout Country.

URGES BIG CELEBRATIONS

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—The administration appealed to America in a Presidential proclamation issued today to make the Second Liberty Loan more successful than the first, which was oversubscribed more than 50 per cent.

The President's proclamation, sets aside Wednesday, October 24, as "Liberty Day" and asks that patriotic celebrations be held everywhere throughout the country in the interest of the Liberty Loan.

A half holiday will be given all government employees except those whose services cannot be dispensed with to participate in the celebrations.

"Let the result be so impressive and emphatic," the President urges, "that it will echo throughout the empire of our enemies as an index of what America intends to do to bring this war to a victorious conclusion."

COMPANY I TAKES HIKE OF 12 MILES ON MUDDY ROADS

Draftees Might Tired When They Return From Long Cross-Country March.

SIXTH BATTALION TO MOVE SOLDIERS STUDY FRENCH

Part of Soldiers at Camp Lee May Go to Training Station Further South; Connellsville Represented in That Contingent; Some Personal Notes.

By C. A. McKEVITT.
Company I, 319th Infantry, CAMP LEE, Petersburg, Va., Oct. 11.—It rained all day on Tuesday and all we did was to stay in and around the barracks, as the ground was too muddy to do any drilling or outside work. There was practically no drilling done in the entire camp.

Wednesday morning, Company I went on a 12 mile hike. The road in some places was very muddy and when we got back to camp we were mighty tired. We had our rifles with us. We only rested a few minutes each way and from the camp and when we fell out by the wayside this time was spent hunting old bullets in a plowed up field. So tired were some of the boys before reaching the camp on our way back that it was thought the camp had been moved in the opposite direction from us during our absence. Before we started on our journey everybody wearing sweaters were told to discard them. Just about that time the Lieutenant Colonel of our regiment came along, wearing a handsome grey sweater. Bob Dunn, right there and then, told the first sergeant that it was not a fair deal. He said the officer was showing a bad example. However, we went without them.

Wednesday afternoon was a regular half holiday. It being two days after payday everybody had an ample supply of Uncle Sam's coin and went to Petersburg and Hopewell to spend some of it. Only 20 per cent of the company is permitted to be away from the camp at a time.

Today the entire 319th regiment was out in a battalion formation parade with the regimental band playing popular music. This parade was the first of the kind that we took part in and was very impressive. Approximately 3,000 men marched.

O. C. Harmon of Connellsville, a brother of Ewing Harmon, a member of Company I, came down to Camp Lee today to see the boys and to get an idea of what army life is like. Mr. Harmon had dinner with the boys here and is spending the night in Petersburg in company with his brother and Jim Swartzwelder.

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MERCURY AT 32

Saturday a Cold Night, With Extremely Heavy Frost.

The mercury dropped to 32 on Saturday night. Only once before this season has the thermometer registered freezing point. That was on the 7th of October.

Sunday morning a heavy frost covered the ground. It was the heaviest frost of the year. Just as the night was the coldest thus far. The temperature is rising now, and warmer weather is in prospect.

Injunction Continued

Declaring that this was no time to unnecessarily interfere with the shipping of coal, Judge Reppert this morning continued the injunction secured by T. B. Gibson, Russell, Keating and J. W. Scott, of Scotland, trading as the Branch Coal company, restraining John H. Buttner of Upper Township from interfering with the operation of their mine.

Weather Forecast

Partly cloudy and cooler tonight and Tuesday, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record

	1917	1916
Maximum	68	53
Minimum	46	38
Mean	57	51

The Young river rose from 30 to 100 feet during the night.

ENGINEERS ARE NOW IN ACTIVE SERVICE, EARL RUSSELL SAYS

Local Soldier Says Mail from Home Raises His Spirits 100 Percent.

Confirmation of the report that the Fifteenth, formerly the Fifth, Engineers, Pittsburgh regiment, now somewhere in France, are in active service and not in a training camp is contained in a letter from Earl W. Russell, local boy, with the regiment, just received by Mrs. R. L. Werner of Trotter, Mr. Russell's aunt.

The letter also indicates that the boys over there have adopted the name "Sammy," though it had been said that they disliked the name, which originated in this country.

The envelope of the letter is marked "Soldiers' Mail," and no postage is charged on it. "Passed as Censored" is also stamped upon the envelope, the censor's name being signed across the stamp. The postmark cannot be made out. Private Russell gives his new address as: Earl K. Russell, Company E, 15th Regiment Engineers, U. S. Army, American Expeditionary Forces, France. Via New York.

His letter follows:
SOMEWHERE IN FRANCE, September 12.—Your letter dated August 15 just received and I was very pleased to hear from you. There is nothing that I enjoy more than getting a letter from the states. Last night along with your letter, I received eight others. It was the first mail for many weeks. As a result of all the mail, my spirits have raised 100 per cent. So if you will, please keep a "Sammy" in good spirits, please write to me when you have the time.

Our stay in England was less than a week. We were hustled right over to France. We have been here for over six weeks and are just falling into the French customs. I think that when I return, I will speak French like a native.

Yes, our mail is rightly censored, but coming from the States to us is never opened. We are not permitted to tell where we are or what we are doing. It is perfectly all right for you to tell me all the news that you will. And please send me a few Connellsville papers once in a while. It would be a great favor to me and I can think of nothing that I would enjoy more.

So a lot of the boys are better married. Why to escape military service? We read in the Paris papers that the making of whiskey has been discontinued.

We are not in a training camp, but are in active service somewhere in France.

I can't tell you what we get to eat. I sure do wish that you were handy enough to bake me a few dozen biscuits. But no such luck. I am feeling all right and nothing along as well as can be expected, under such conditions. I enjoy the French scenery very much but many things are sadly in need of repairs. Remember me to all my friends.

Earl K. Russell.

MAY BE SLACKER

Leisenring Man's Case Being Investigated.

William Mills of Leisenring No. 3, 28 years old, is being held at the police station, charged with being a slacker. He was arrested Saturday by City Detective J. W. Mitchell, charged with being disorderly on information of J. Kirk Renner. When it was learned that he had been called and had not responded, he was held.

Mills registered in Greensburg and showed his registration card. He said he had applied for exemption and members of the board told him he did not have to go but at the time did not give him a certificate of exemption. He was called to appear September 21, but thought he was free from the summons. He has a wife and three children at Leisenring No. 3 where he is employed. He just recently moved from Greensburg. He will be held until word is received from the Greensburg board.

POWDER EXPLOSION

Three Men May Be Dead in Accident at du Pont Plant.

By Associated Press.
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 15.—An explosion in the nitro starch dryhouse at the du Pont Powder works at Gibbstown, N. J., resulted in the instant death of two workmen. A third man is missing and is probably dead. The bodies were blown to pieces. Another man was seriously injured.

The destroyed building was a small one-story structure isolated from the rest of the plant and the force consisted of the four men mentioned. The du Pont company says there was nothing suspicious about the explosion. Because of the force of the explosion most alarming reports as to its extent were in circulation. Almost everybody in Philadelphia, 20 miles distant felt it.

ELUCS TEACHERS

Dunbar Township School Board Fills Vacancies.

Three teachers were elected to fill vacancies caused by resignations, and a trustee officer, Byron Leighty of near Trotter, was chosen at the monthly meeting of the Dunbar township school board held Saturday afternoon at the Smith House.

The new teachers and the schools to which they were elected are as follows: Sitka, Miss Alice White; Paul, Miss Mary Reid; Hennessy, Miss Isabelle Scott. Routine business in connection with the schools was also transacted.

Commissioner Knox Here

United States Commissioner Roger Knox of Pittsburgh was the guest of J. A. Armstrong at his home here yesterday.

AUTO ACCIDENTS PROVE NUMEROUS DURING WEEKEND

Mrs. J. L. Love and Family of Vanderhill Have Narrow Escape Near Leisenring.

SCOTSDALE CAR IN MIXUP

J. R. Campbell's Buick and Ford Are Thrown to Side of Road Near Chalk Hill But Neither is Damaged; Earl Wynn in Smashup at Normalville.

Automobile accidents were numerous over the week-end, the fine weather having brought out thousands of cars. No one was seriously injured in this section of the county though there were two fatalities in an accident near Point Marion.

J. R. Campbell of Scottdale was in an odd and lucky accident on the National Pike near Chalk Hill yesterday afternoon when a Ford, driven by A. J. Jeffries of Brownsburg, tried to pass Mr. Campbell's Buick on a little hill with the result that the rear wheels of the two cars caught, throwing both machines into a farmyard. The Campbell car was slightly damaged and the Ford was disabled completely, though not very much smashed up. The machines came to a stop with radiators partly penetrating the farmer's wire fence and straddling a little ditch along the roadside. They looked at first glance as though they had been parked there intentionally. Mr. Campbell was able to continue his way to Scottdale.

Mrs. J. L. Love of Vanderhill and family narrowly escaped serious injury along the brick road leading to Leisenring No. 2 about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon when a Dodge touring car, driven by Mrs. Love, crashed into a concrete abutment, throwing the occupants out and smashing up the car considerably. Mrs. Love was driving with one of her daughters lying on the front seat, her head pillowed in her mother's lap. Finding that the child's position interfered with her driving, Mrs. Love tried to push the little girl from her lap. The next thing she knew the car was ditched along the road. None of the occupants was hurt although one little girl had a painful bruise on the cheek. The car was towed to Vanderhill by employees of Mr. Love's garage at Vanderhill.

When something went wrong with the gears, causing the car to be driving to start backward down a steep hill, Earl Wynn and Rev. Trimmer of Obiopolis and Albert J. Stillwagon of Snyderstown had a narrow escape. The car was ditched and badly damaged. Mr. Stillwagon jumped. The others remained in the machine until it came to a stop. The accident occurred while Mr. Wynn was driving Rev. Trimmer from Obiopolis to Normalville, where the pastor is to locate. The machine was towed to Normalville.

Two dead mules were smothered to death when placed under an automobile near Point Marion Saturday night. Their bodies were found by an automobilist on Sunday morning about 5 o'clock and they were identified as Dorsey Woodward of Sellersville, W. Va., and John Hawley of Morgantown, W. Va.

COMMISSARY BURNS

Shack at Casparis Catches Fire from Burning Cinder Bank.

Catching fire from the burning cinder bank beneath it, the commissary at Casparis burned down on Friday, being almost a total loss. Employees of the Casparis Stone company were able to save only a few of the boards. For a time a string of box cars on a siding were threatened.

The commissary was built on a fill made from cinders dumped by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Someone building a fire of the cinder bank allowed the cinder bank to catch, and now the entire place is a fire. Carbon monoxide, a poisonous gas rising from the smoldering bank, recently caused Frank Polizzi, who ran the commissary for Guy Corrado, to be overcome. On Friday, the hot cinders started the blaze in the commissary. No one was in the building at the time.

STERLING HERE

Congressman, Home from Washington, Meets Acquaintances Here.

Congressman Bruce F. Sterling of Uniontown was here this morning, shaking hands with his friends. Mr. Sterling came home immediately after Congress adjourned.

Congressman Sterling didn't say when he thought the war would end, but he did express himself as being opposed to taking boys of 18 in the next draft. The report that the next draft would include all from 18 to 40, brought forth this expression.

Mr. Sterling also admitted that he had been fined \$25.35 in Hagerstown for speeding last week. While in the Maryland city, he met the Connellsville Military band boys. As to the speeding episode, the congressman said that there was a speed limit in Maryland, and was very much surprised when a motorcycle cop nabbed him for going 43 miles an hour.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The I. A. M. class of the Methodist Protestant church has completed arrangements for a Halloween social and musicale to be held Tuesday evening, October 23, in the basement of the church. All are invited and a most enjoyable evening is assured those who attend.

The B. of R. C. will hold a dance Wednesday night in Macabee hall.

The Onward class of the Methodist Protestant church will be entertained in the church, Friday evening by Mrs. J. H. Lamberton, Mrs. William F. Brooks and Miss Ida Stillwagon.

The Woman's Guild of the Trinity Episcopal church will meet Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. F. R. Graham, 117 Chestnut street.

The weekly Bible study of the Business Women's Christian association will be held Thursday night in the association rooms in the First National bank building. A meeting of the swimming class will follow. Tonight the business women will meet at the Federal building to sew for the Red Cross.

The Women's Bible class of the First Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mary Robinson, 222 North Third street, West Side. The Ladies Aid society will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. C. Stangel in Chestnut street. Choir rehearsal will be held in the church at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Marie Jameson will entertain the C. L. Girls' club Friday night at her home in South Connelville.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Odd Fellows, Railroad Conductors will be held Wednesday afternoon in Odd Fellows Hall.

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Miss Margaret Luella Wertz, daughter of Mrs. John A. Chain of Boston, Mass., formerly of Greensburg and James Preston Willis, solemnized Thursday, October 11. The bride is a niece of Mrs. J. D. Percy of West Peach street and has a number of friends in Connelville.

The Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will hold a rummage sale October 19 and 20 in the vacant store room in South Pittsburg street, at one time occupied by Grossen's grocery store. All donations are expected to be turned in by Thursday.

The N. C. D. class of the First Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will meet tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. J. J. Butmore in East Crawford avenue. All members are invited.

The opening meeting of Woman's club of the current season will be held Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. W. Horner in Will's road.

Mrs. Frank Russ will entertain the West Side Needleworkers Thursday evening at her home in Shuckstone avenue, Greenwood.

Dr. W. N. Goldsmith will leave October 21 for New York City to attend the convention of the National Dental Association. He will be absent until Monday, November 5. During his absence Miss Alice Slater will be in attendance at the office.

The Martha Nor on Bible class of the Christian church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Renner in Witter avenue. The four sections of the Woman's Union will meet tomorrow afternoon as follows: First and second, Mrs. D. P. Jones, Johnston avenue; third, Mrs. J. L. Gilmore, East Fairview avenue; fourth, Mrs. D. D. Brooks, South Pittsburg street.

The King's Daughters of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. J. J. Thompson, 215 East Cedar avenue.

Mrs. Marvin B. Pryce was hostess of a charmingly appointed eight course dinner yesterday at her home in East Apple street in honor of her birthday. Covers were laid for twelve, the guests including relatives and friends of the hostess. Mrs. Pryce was the recipient of a number of handsome and useful gifts.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Benefit Association of the Macabees will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock in Macabee hall.

A card party for the benefit of the Jewish war sufferers will be held Thursday evening, October 18 at the Elks' club rooms.

A reception for the children of the Cradle Roll of the First Baptist

CAPE COAT OF HEAVY CLOTH PROVES USEFUL



Every once in a while, among its fur-trimmed rivals, a cape-coat reminds us that it is possible to be smartly dressed and dispense with furs. One of them is shown here with a cape that is abbreviated so that it does not extend across the back, but gives all the impression of a cape just the same. It is of wool velour and its ornamentation is confined to machine stitching and buttons. Such a coat is useful for all-round wear. Separate furs may be worn with it, when they are needed, and the cape gives it a distinctive military air, adding immensely to its smartness.

church and their mothers was held Saturday afternoon in the church. Many babies accompanied by their mothers attended. The hours were from 2:30 to 1:30 o'clock. Miss Josephine Moser, superintendent of the Cradle Roll was assisted by the following committees: Reception, Mrs. Jesse Brown, Mrs. William Percy, Mrs. Walter Fike, Mrs. Wilbur Nelson, and Mrs. A. C. Herbert; serving, Mrs. A. R. Boyer, Miss Grace Workman, Mrs. Paul Wetherell and Miss Carrie Sue Percy. Refreshments were served.

Services preparatory to communion will be held Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church. Communion services will be held the following Sunday. The session of the church will meet Wednesday night at the close of the regular prayer services. The regular meeting of the W. A. Edie Bible class will be held in the chapel this evening. All the men of the church are invited. This is an important meeting as officers for the ensuing six months will be elected. Following are the members of the entertainment committee: L. W. Wolfe, R. E. Grum, Roger Ward, A. E. Wagoner and S. C. Campbell.

PERSONALS.
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bryte, of Buffalo, N. Y., and Isaac Sisley of Pittsburgh, motored here Saturday and were guests of relatives for a short time, returning to Pittsburgh Saturday night.

There is no talker between Baltimore and Pittsburgh that carries as large a stock as I do. Dave Cohen, Tailor.—Adv.

Miss Sarah Kiebert was the guest of friends in Pittsburgh over Sunday.

The largest exclusive shoe store in Connelville and still growing. Why? U-No. Brownell Shoe Company—Adv.

Miss Dorothy Diebert of East Crawford avenue, visited relatives in Pittsburgh over Sunday.

A dance will be given in Maddox Hall by the Y. L. Club, Tuesday evening, October 16th. Musical orchestra.—Adv.—13-21.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Collins and daughter, Mabel, of Uniontown, were the guests of Mrs. R. W. Leiberger of Apple street, Sunday.

For the best and cheapest repairs on Cat Pools, conductors or spouting, see P. T. Evans.—Adv.

Hugh Stillwagon of Greensburg, has returned home after a visit with relatives here.

Peter Gopferman and Peter O'Connor have returned home from New York where they took in the baseball series, and at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., where they visited the latter's brother, Edward O'Connor and other Connelville boys in camp.

Mrs. W. W. White of Warren, Pa., who has been visiting her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wright, left for Morgantown, Tenn., Monday.

Mr. J. M. McHenry of South Connelville, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McHenry, left for a town over Sunday.

Parak Collins of Morgantown, a well known athlete, was in town over Sunday.

Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Percy of West Peach street yesterday. Mrs. J. F. Shaw has gone to Cumberland and Markleysburg to visit relatives.

Miss Fannie Cummings of Pittsburgh, is the guest of her sister, Miss Madge Cummings.

Dr. R. K. Smith of Canton, O., Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Smith of Bellefontaine, motored here yesterday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hetzel of the South Side.

NATIONAL ARMY MEN RETURN FROM CAMP TO SELL LIBERTY BONDS

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scared down there. John seems to enjoy soldiering very much. All the boys are well and having a good time, considering everything, he reports.

DAWSON BOYS AT CAMP LEE SAY KAISER HAS SHOT WAD

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Russell, Mrs. James Fairchilds and daughter, Miss Belle, and James Goldsboro returned to their homes at Eastown Saturday evening after a visit to Camp Lee, Va. The trip was made in Mr. Goldsboro's Hudson car and good time was made considering the condition of the roads.

"Jim" says the worst roads in Virginia are beyond description and the best roads there are worse than the worst roads here.

The trip was made to see James Russell son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell, who is with the draftees at Camp Lee. While at the camp the tourists saw all of the Dawson boys except Clarence Durbin and William Jacobs, who were spending the day at Petersburg.

The boys were all in good spirits, but some complained of the jobs they were called upon to do. Barney Strickler is tired of peeling potatoes for instance. Barney told Mr. Russell he had peeled seven car loads last week and he had forgotten how many the week before that. Mose Gillespie is tired of being boot carpenter, and Bill Jacobs, while he does not mind running a truck, would rather be driving his father's Dodge at home.

George Kessler promises to paint the tower red on his first opportunity, while Henry Brown declared it was all right to be a heavyweight champion, but it was hard on the constitution just the same.

Mr. Russell says all the boys are in good spirits, in spite of their half-joking complaints. They all "feel it in their bones" that they will be home before long, for they think Naughty Bill has "shot his wad."

The tourists also visited Staunton, Richmond, Fredericksburg and Petersburg, Va.

STAR JUNCTION BOY IS NOW A CORPORAL

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins of Star Junction that their son, Walter M. Jenkins, a member of the 25th Cavalry, stationed at Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, has been made a corporal. Young Jenkins enlisted several months ago at Pittsburgh, being one of the first young men of Star Junction to heed the call to the colors. He was at our time a reporter for The Courier, later going to the Johnstown Leader as classified manager. Corporal Jenkins is 21 years old. He is assigned to Troop G of the cavalry regiment.

SERGEANT EDGAR HORNER IS BUSY, BUT HAPPY

Cards from Edgar J. Horner, member of the 11th Infantry Band, and regimental bugler, to friends here, state that everything is fine, and "he is happy as a lark." Horner now holds the rank of sergeant, the cards show.

ROSS WRIGHT LEAVES FOR PORT STLOUGH, N. Y.

Ross Wright, who enlisted in the Fifth Engineers but was not called, left Sunday for Port StloUGH, New Rochelle, N. Y., where he will report, preparatory to being transferred to the 26th U. S. Engineers, now in training at Ayer, Mass.

Cards from Sanford M. Jaks state that he arrived at Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N. J., on Thursday from Port StloUGH, N. Y., where he reported to the recruiting officer. He says the camp is very nice, 11 miles from Trenton, but a mudhole when it rains. He says they are already working like "snappers," putting up at least 75 new barracks. His address is "Camp Dix, Company D, Engineers, Trenton, N. J."

COAL LAND MARKET

Becoming More Active; Deals Said to be in Process of Negotiation. Considerable interest is reported to have been manifested recently in the coal land market. A number of deals are said to be in progress, and many inquiries are being received by brokers for tracts suitable for quick development and easy of access.

Farm owners are getting fancy prices for their coal, and many are reluctant to sell as they believe prices will go still higher. Coal brokers, however, assert there is nothing to justify better than prices now being paid, and are advising coal owners to sell while buyers of coal lands are so eager and numerous. Some big interests in the market for coal properties are said to be averse to buying any property held by speculators.

Infant Dies.

Arthur G. Wright, Jr., 11 months old son of Arthur G. and Ella Wright, of East Allegheny, died yesterday at the residence in East Allegheny. Funeral services were held this afternoon, with interment in Elm Grove cemetery.

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Women's Flannelette Kimonos in assorted colors, ribbon trimmed with or without, \$1.00.

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These are good warm Winter Coats for street, motor or travel.



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Furs of comfort for these cold winter days, just visit our Fur section and let us convince you of our beautiful stock of Furs. These can be had at prices ranging from \$9.95 to \$100.00.

Best Values in Underwear

Children's fleece lined vests and pants, 39c each. Mixed wool and cotton vests and pants, 50c garment. Wool and cotton union suits, gray, \$1.00. Wool and cotton union suits, white, \$1.50.

Ladies union suits, medium weight, cotton, high neck, long sleeves, low neck and elbow sleeves, regular \$1.00; extra size \$1.25.

Mixed wool and cotton, high neck, long sleeves or low neck and elbow sleeves, regular \$1.50, extra size \$1.75. Silk and wool high neck, long sleeves or low neck and elbow sleeves, regular \$2.00 to \$3.00; extra size \$2.25.

Fleece lined, high or low neck, regular 89c; extra size 95c.

Fleece lined 2-piece suit, regular 50c; extra size 60c each.

Wool shirts, regular \$1.00, \$1.50; extra size \$1.25, \$1.75. Wool pants, regular \$1.00, \$1.50; extra size \$1.25, \$1.75.

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Suits which follow Fashion's latest trend to give the most graceful lines to girlish figures.

Smart models of broadcloth, velour, serges and gabardines, in desirable colors.

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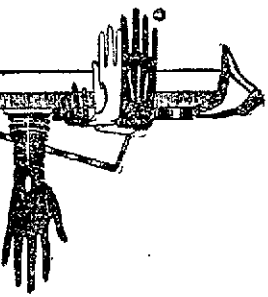
Comforts in satin or silks, pink, blue, lavender and yellow, \$2.50 to \$12.00. Blankets in wool, wool finish and cotton, in all colors, sizes 11x12-4 at \$1.69, \$2.95, \$4.19, \$5.95, \$7.95.

Gloves

Gloves for the ladies, misses and children in mittens, kids, silk, wool and chamois.

Lined or unlined.

Priced at 25c to \$4.00.



ELECTRIC SHOW

Arcade to Offer Distinct Novelty on Thursday and Friday.

C. H. Morton, a representative of the Westinghouse company of Pittsburgh, arrived in Connelville this morning to complete arrangements for the Arcade Electric Show on Wednesday and Thursday.

Plans for the show include the projection of motion pictures showing the development of transportation, the uses to which electrical apparatus may be put in the household and other interesting phases of the subject, as well as a demonstration of electrical appliances. The West Penn and General Electric company will have exhibits. The show will be in addition to the regular tabloid musical comedy production.

Dunbar Fire Prevention Rally.

Dunbar will observe Fire Prevention Day at a meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows hall. The speakers will be Francis Feehan of Pittsburgh, supervising inspector for Western Pennsylvania of the Department of Labor and Industry; Percy Inspector James S. Darr; Counselman M. B. Pryce and attorney John Duggan, Jr., of Connelville. The volunteer firemen will instruct the speakers at the Central hotel.

Blocher-McDonald.

The marriage of Miss Edna Blocher daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blocher of Broad Ford and Martin McDonald of Broad Ford will take place Wednesday morning at the immaculate Conception church. The bride will be attended by Miss Rose Snyder as maid of honor. John Brindinger will serve as best man.

Power is Off.

Unusual demands made on the West Penn power plant here caused a shut-off of the power for a short time this morning. The Pittsburgh railways and the Westinghouse power plant, both of which were having trouble, were aided by the local station, the result being much diminished power here. The cars ran late all morning.

Mrs. Buckner to Take Charge.

At a meeting of the official board of the Christian church yesterday morning, Mrs. Mary Pickens Buckner was named to take charge of the pastoral assigned to the church between November 1, when Rev. C. C. Buckner leaves for Ionia, Mich., and January 1, when Rev. G. W. Buckner, her husband, arrives from England.

Entertains Bible Class.

Mrs. J. W. Wingrove of near Pleasant Valley mill, entertained the Woman's Bible Class of the Mount Olive United Brethren Sunday school at her beautiful country home last Wednesday afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent.

Mrs. Huss Better.

Clyde Huss and two children returned home last night from Pittsburgh where they were called to the bedside of Mrs. Huss, who underwent an operation at St. Joseph's hospital. The condition of Mrs. Huss is improved and prospects for her recovery are bright.

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Safety First!!

By Edith Barnard, Editor of the Vigilante.

Safety first? Of course! You insure your home, don't you? Don't consider your fire-insurance a bad investment, do you? Of course, it doesn't bring you in any interest—oh, does it? Safety is interest enough, you say? Do you happen to know that a Liberty Bond is just the biggest insurance policy ever taken out, insurance against worse things than fire and lightning or accident or death? Do you know that it not only insures the safety of you and your home and your business, of your children and your children's children, but that it does bring you in actual interest, not only in safety but in dollars and cents besides?

Safety first? Of course! You have to work hard for your money, don't you? Living is high, and the children are going to have a better start in life than you had, if you can give it to them? Take money, and you aren't going to risk the money you've worked for in any unsafe investment, are you? Things often look all right; but you never know when they're not; you believe in playing safe, yourself, don't you? Any sensible man does; and the Liberty Bonds are the safest investment in the country, the safest in the world; because this is the biggest and richest country in the world, and the entire country would have to go actually bankrupt before the Liberty Bonds would be no good—and they probably would be good, even then! See any signs of the country's going bankrupt? Banks might, businesses might—but the entire country? Safety first? Sure! So put your money into Liberty Bonds and smile at trouble coming—if you see any! Safety first? Of course!

THIS WEEK, NERVOUS WOMAN TOOK VINOL

It Made Her Strong and Well

Barneveld, Wis.—"I was in a weak, nervous, run-down, anemic condition, so that my housework was a burden. Vinol was recommended, and it made me well and strong. It is certainly the best tonic and strength creator I have ever taken."

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The Grim Reaper

MRS. KATHARINE BRYTE.

As she was about to leave for church last evening Mrs. Katharine Bryte, 33 years old, a well known resident of the West Side, died very suddenly at her home in South Eighth street. She had been in poor health for some time, but was able to be about. Saturday night she returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. William Rutter at Vance's Mill. Scarcely was she in her usual health. She attended services at the Methodist Protestant church yesterday morning and was ready to leave for services last night when she was stricken. Her sister, Miss Anne Ayres, who made her home at the Bryte residence, found her dead. A physician was summoned, and pronounced her sudden death due to heart trouble superinduced by epileptic attacks, to which she was subject.

Funeral from the house tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Elm Grove cemetery. Mrs. Bryte was born in Westernport, Md., a daughter of the late James and Emily Ayres. Virtually all her life was spent in Connelville. She married William Bryte, whose death occurred 15 years ago. Two children, Mrs. William Rutter of Vance's Mill and Raymond Bryte at home, two sisters, Mrs. Ella McManus of Wheeling and Mrs. Anne Ayres, and one grandchild also survives. Mrs. Bryte had a wide circle of friends.

ROBERT W. HIGINBOTHAM.

Robert William Higinbotham, 69 years old a lifelong resident of Fayette county, died yesterday morning at the Uniontown hospital following a two weeks' illness of complication of diseases. Mr. Higinbotham was the owner of extensive coal holdings in Fayette and Greene counties and in West Virginia. He was born in Redstone township and later moved to Springhill township. In 1888 he was appointed steward of the Fayette county home and held that position for three years. He married Elizabeth Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Morgan. The family later moved to Uniontown and from there went to Gray's Landing. Deceased is survived by his widow, three children, Mrs. Minnie Burchinal, Mrs. Caroline Gens of Gals, and D. M. Higinbotham of Uniontown. Two brothers, Samuel Higinbotham of Redstone township and Frank Higinbotham of Uniontown also survive.

ZEAREL MAINS.

Zearel Mains, five months old, son of William and Sarah Colbert Mains, died yesterday at the family residence at Dickerson Run. Funeral services were held this afternoon with interment in Dickerson Run Union cemetery.

RAND IN BACK.

Returns Saturday From Big Havers-town Fair.

The Connelville Military band returned Saturday night from Hagerstown, where the boys played three days at the big fair. The band, from all reports, made a big hit. The Hagerstown papers boasted the organization to the skies, and the people were as cheerful as could be.

The majority of the boys made the cross-country trip by automobile.

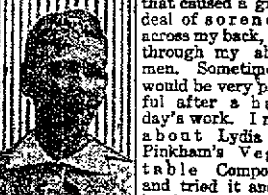
Only 14 went on the train.

NURSE HAD POOR HEALTH

Suffered Much Pain, Yet Had to Work. Finally Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Toledo, Ohio—"I am a widow and go out nursing, and suffered from a female trouble that caused a great deal of soreness across my back, and through my abdomen. Sometimes it would be very painful after a hard day's work. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and tried it and it has helped me wonderfully. The soreness is all gone now. I believe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is just the remedy for female troubles."—Mrs. ELIZABETH JOHN, R. R. D. No. 4, Toledo, Ohio.

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Don't take my word—Just try 'em says **Bobby**

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Made of Corn Saves the Wheat

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Morlick's
The Original Malted Milk

Substitutes Cost YOU Same Price.

WINTER'S APPROACH BEING DREADED BY ALL RAILROAD MEN

Transportation Troubles Will
Multiply as the Season
Grows.

LABOR SITUATION IS BAD

And Growing Worse All the Time; No
Longer a Question of Car Supply
But One of Securing Sufficient Men
to Handle the Cars Now Available.

The situation throughout the Pittsburgh district in respect to the movement of freight is becoming acute again. For a while the tension was relaxed appreciably, and the railroads had begun to hope that the relief thus afforded would prove permanent, says F. A. Layman, railroad editor of the Pittsburgh Dispatch. No sooner, however, had traffic begun to move with comparative freedom in the regular channels than it doubled and tripled in volume not only nullifying whatever improvement had been effected, but rendering nugatory in large measure the carriers' plans for the future. As a result the railroads are now not only heavily handicapped even while operating conditions are exceptionally favorable, but they will enter upon the third winter of traffic congestion with its inevitable cold and snows more ill-prepared to cope with adverse conditions than ever before.

It is not a shortage of cars or motive power that is threatening trouble in the coming winter, in fact—but lack of skilled labor, a phase of the situation which Vice President G. L. Peck of the Pennsylvania Lines West makes very real in a statement just prepared by him, in his capacity of chairman of the committee on lake coal and ore shipment for the executive committee of the Railroads' War Board relative to the movement of coal and ore, both so essential to the successful prosecution of the war. Primarily, the coal requirements of the Northwest, which must be supplied chiefly by the mines of Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia, and Ohio, aggregate 29,000,000 tons, of which amount there had been moved to Lake Erie ports for transshipment to September 30, 19,544,552 tons, leaving 9,455,448 tons to be moved during the nine weeks of navigation remaining, or an average of 1,050,565 tons per week.

This volume was exceeded slightly during the week ended September 30, but the tonnage for that period was 2.34 per cent less than that for the week immediately preceding, an unfavorable development in itself. Meanwhile, 1,007,618 tons of ore moved from Lake Erie to interior furnaces, chiefly in the Pittsburgh district, but even that amount was not nearly sufficient to meet their requirements, and as a consequence many of them are "down." To furnaces will require 30,000,000 tons of ore, in round figures, to tide them over till next spring, of which only 23,208,949 tons have been brought to Lake Erie docks by September 30, leaving 7,791,051 tons to be moved during the remaining weeks of open water. As in the case of the coal moving hence, however, the movement of ore is falling off gradually, not from lack of cars, apparently, or of locomotives to haul them, but of efficient and efficient labor to handle the traffic.

And labor conditions, according to Vice President Peck, are growing worse all the time, so that it is no longer, now, so much a question of car supply as of movement and the slow movement, while it is due, apparently, to a variety of causes, can be traced directly to labor conditions. In this connection, however, rather an anomalous condition has developed. The railroads' payroll appears to show about the same number of men at work in all departments as formerly, so that the trouble may not properly be ascribed to labor shortage.

In lieu of a better term, therefore, Vice President Peck describes it as "dilution" of labor, which he confesses he has borrowed from the English labor reports. It means, he explains, that while the roads have the same number of men as before, they have lost a very large proportion of their most efficient employees, the substitutes having been drawn from the only remaining available supply, which means, of course, the replacement of men skilled by years of experience in detailed work of a very intricate machine, by inexperienced hands. He doesn't assume to say in exactly how much the reduced efficiency consists, but ventures the opinion that it amounts to fully 50 per cent. He does cite figures, though, which show that in many departments of the Pennsylvania lines west their entire forces have been changed since the beginning of the current year.

The principal cause of this "dilution" of labor, according to Vice President Peck, is the high scale of wages established by industries located in districts served by the Eastern railroads. This, however, is accentuated by the draft. Based upon the number of men already accepted for military service, it is estimated that upwards of 15,000 employees of railroads operating in the territory between the Ohio

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When its tender little organs are bound up with a congestion of stomach waste in the bowels, baby is a mighty uncomfortable morsel of humanity, and reflects its discomfort in its disposition. If Mother will just give it a tiny dose of a mild laxative, such as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the congestion will quickly loosen and be expelled, and her child be normal and happy once more.

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valley and the lakes will have been called to the colors by the first draft. This will have to be multiplied by three within a year should the government call for 2,000,000 men during that period, which, it is understood it will. It happens that a large proportion of these men are of classes required for the maintenance and operation of the railroads, such as truckmen, trainmen, brakemen, telegraph operators, etc., many of whom have been drawn already because of their low average ages and the further fact that they had been selected for their railway employment because of their physical fitness.

The effect of the actual shortage on railroad operation is indicated by the fact, as shown by the statement of Vice President Peck, that it is impossible to maintain currently a full force of car droppers in some of the large classification yards in the industrial districts, notably the Pittsburgh district, and this is only another of the difficulties which confront the roads in their attempts to move promptly the enormous volume of traffic now being offered them. During the past week, inquiry developed, yard operations were slowed down appreciably from this cause and at times it has been with the utmost exertion only that the yards have been kept going at all. This, of course, is an unprecedented situation and the effect of the introduction of inexperienced men into such an intricate organization as that required for the operation of a large classification yard has been to retard all traffic.

The policy of the railroads, in the circumstances, has been to await the result of the full draft before asking exemptions, but if the Eastern lines are to continue to perform their full functions as the principal arteries for supplying the primary base of operations for the entire conduct of the war, both for this country and its allies, a different one will have to be adopted and that right soon. At this time the railroads of the Pittsburgh district are handling a greater tonnage than ever before in their history, despite all the handicaps with which they are weighted down. Moreover, the volume of traffic is increasing fast and will, according to the expectations of the railroads, continue to increase commensurately with the expanding requirements of the government. Many of the latter, however, are declared to be dependent upon a further expansion of facilities or a further improvement in the labor situation on the roads in question, both of which contingencies appear to be remote. The carriers operating into the Pittsburgh district in the meantime are exerting every effort to bring to the furnaces enough ore to tide them over till next spring and profess confidence in their ability to do so. Quite a serious difficulty is developing, however, from the circumstance that certain furnaces are behind in their allotments, while others are ahead, and no means of equalizing the discrepancy has yet been devised. The railroads, though, are doing their best to meet the situation.

Confluence.

CONFLUENCE, Oct. 13.—The first snow of the season fell here yesterday.

Rev. W. M. Bracken, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, who has been returned here for another year by the annual conference which just convened in Pittsburgh, will preach morning and evening tomorrow.

H. V. Prince of Fort Hill was a business visitor here yesterday.

Miss Helen Bowlin, who has been ill for a long time, is improving.

Miss Elsie Beggs left yesterday for Pittsburgh to visit friends.

Prof. R. V. Rimmer of Ohio State was in town greeting friends and transacting business yesterday.

Mrs. Earl Critchfield left yesterday for a visit with friends in Connelldale.

J. E. McNutt, who has been spending several months with his son, Ben, in Fairchance, is here looking after business.

Cyrus Shaw of Ohio State was in town on business yesterday.

Mrs. W. Dull has returned from an extended trip through various states in the West.

Mrs. W. B. Conway of Rockwood was here yesterday on her way to Somerset to visit friends.

George Kurtz of Humbert was a business visitor in town yesterday.

CONFLUENCE, Oct. 15.—Edward Mena of Harnedsville was here Saturday on his way to Somerset on business.

The Sunday school rally in the Lutheran church yesterday morning was a success in every way.

Joe Ream of Draketown was a business visitor in Connelldale Saturday.

Mrs. Tracy Loach of Nederland, Col., who has been visiting friends here for several weeks, has gone to Pittsburgh where she will visit friends a few days before returning to her home in Nederland.

H. Wilksman of Pittsburgh was a business visitor here the latter part of last week.

Mrs. N. Maust visited at her home in Meyersdale over Sunday.

W. S. Kelly of Terra Alta, W. Va., was in town Saturday on business.

Goldwin Kiefer of Fort Hill is

The Second Liberty Loan

Something More Than Patriotism

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The patriotism of the American investor has already been put to test, and proved both fervent and practical.

More than four million subscribers responded to the call of the first Liberty Loan. Of these, probably three-fourths had never before bought a bond of any kind.

Beyond question, it was a great burst of patriotism that brought about the heavy over-subscription of the first loan. Few people sought to analyze it as an investment. It was above all the expression of their determination to help win the war. The second Liberty Loan will be supported by a patriotism even more profound. That may be taken for granted.

But since the Government asks not for a gift, but for a loan, it is no reflection upon the generous spirit of the nation to examine the second Liberty Loan strictly upon its financial merits. When we do so, we find that it is an extraordinarily sound, profitable, business-like investment.

1. The security behind a United States Government Bond is the best in the world.

The credit of the United States is the best in the world. We have a national wealth of probably 250 billions, a national income of about 40 billions yearly and bank resources of 37 billions. One-third of the estimated wealth of the entire world belongs to this country—more than double the wealth of any other nation—three times the wealth of Germany.

2. The amount which the war compels us to borrow and spend does not affect this security.

In the Civil War, the United States raised three billions, although at that time our bank resources were only one and one-half billions. On the same basis, therefore, this country could now support a national debt of 74 billions.

Before the present war, our debt was about one and one-half billions. Add to that the bond issues authorized this year, including the present loan, and we are still utilizing only a small part of our resources.

We have already entered upon a sweeping campaign of conservation. Everywhere production is being speeded up and consumption reduced. We cannot by these means entirely offset the current wastage of war, but with the coming of peace, this heightened efficiency throughout the entire nation will continue and will speedily restore and even increase our national resources.

3. The rate of interest is exceptional.

The rate of the interest of the second Liberty Loan is higher than any United States Government loan for more than twenty years. The investment is not only sound but profitable. It is exempt from all taxes except estate and inheritance

taxes, income surtaxes and excess profits and war profits taxes.

To those who have not figured it out, the fact that the bonds are subject to these war taxes may make them seem less desirable than the first issue. The fact is, that for any investor whose income is less than \$100,000 they are more desirable. The interest rate on the previous issue, at 3½ per cent, is one-eighth less than on the new issue at 4 per cent. Therefore, until the tax amounts to one-eighth of the income, or 12½ per cent, the new issue will be more profitable. Since surtaxes equivalent to 12½ per cent of the income will apply only to those incomes greater than \$100,000, any investor with less than that income will obtain a greater net return from the second Liberty Loan than from the first.

4. The market value may increase.

These bonds are assured of a broad market, and their price should never materially decrease. They are convertible into any later issue which may be brought out during the war, carrying a higher interest rate. There is, furthermore, a possibility that in future years they may command a considerably higher price. Normally the credit of the United States Government makes possible an interest rate of 3 per cent or less. If, after the war, the interest rate returns to 3 per cent, Government bonds on which the rate is 4 per cent would be paying one-third more than other bonds, and therefore their market value would rise well above par.

We recommend that our customers subscribe to the Second Liberty Loan not merely as a patriotic duty, but also as a conservative and profitable investment.

Come in today and give us your subscription.

Yough Trust Company

visiting friends at Fairview Cottage at present.

Mrs. Charles Robinson of Ursina was shopping and visiting friends in town Saturday.

Mrs. John Davis has returned from a visit with friends at Meyersdale.

E. W. Debol of Charleston was a recent visitor with his sons, Will and Harry, in Connelldale.

Meyersdale.

MEYERSDALE, Oct. 15.—Mrs. Louise Hawn of Salisbury, is visiting relatives and friends here for a few days.

W. T. Hohlitzel and son, J. J. Hohlitzel, have returned from a business trip to Baltimore.

Mrs. Mary Lynch and daughter, Miss Bernadette, have gone to Pittsburgh for a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Mary May of Bedford, is spending a few weeks here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Clara Stacer left Friday for Grantsville, where she expects to remain for some time.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Oct. 15.—Allen Dillon of New York, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Guly Martin and sons, William, Vail and Auden, spent the day in Bellevernon.

Mrs. William Bailey and Mrs. Creigan of Star Junction, were calling on friends here.

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UNIONTOWN, Oct. 15.—Delloyd Thompson, who thrilled and startled the country by his daring night raiding on Washington, New York and Chicago, will present his series of sensational and spectacular aerial maneuvers at the Uniontown Speedway on October 20 in connection with the Autumn classic in which 24 of the greatest racing drivers in America are entered.

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Thompson will perform his entire repertoire of flying feats at the Uniontown Speedway on October 20. Friday, the day preceding, Thompson will make a flight over the city of Pittsburgh, dropping 2,000 tickets of admission to the big races. The morning of the races, he will fly from Pittsburgh to Uniontown and then will startle the spectators at the Speedway with death defying tricks.

Twenty-four drivers already have entered the autumn classic, including Oil Anderson, Ralph Mulford, Gaston Chevrolet, Eddie Hennes, Joe Boyer, Tommy Milton, Pete Henderson, Ira Vail, Frank Elliott, Harold Buckert, D. W. Hickey, Jack Conway, N. P. Patterson, R. M. Shoff, Jimmy Myers, Andy Burt, Ora F. Hable, Omar Toft, Tom Alley and Dave Lewis. Two Olsen cars have been entered, the driver for one to be designated later. Louis Chevrolet has sent in entries for two Chevrolet cars, listing the driver for only one. The Johnson special will be in the race but the driver will be announced later.

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FOOTBALL TEAM AT CAMP HANCOCK HAS FORMER H. S. STARS

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their work. Three double plays were made during the game.

A large regimental canteen has been erected in the rear of the camp where the men can buy anything from a ham sandwich to a safety pin. A system of credit has been established by the proprietors for the benefit of the men, checks being used for this purpose. The money for the checks is taken out of the soldiers' pay by the paymaster each month. The canteen is operated on a profit sharing plan, each company receiving a certain per cent of the profits. Frank Cox of Company D has been named cashier.

Lessons in French will soon be given to the members of the different companies who desire to take them. Competent instructors and good text books will be supplied by the government free of charge and it is expected that everybody will take advantage of the opportunity.

The result of the Connellsville-Scottsdale football game was read in last night's Courier. The old high school football players in camp say that they would just like to get in one more game with Scottsdale.

The Hospital Corps football team is getting in fine trim, and various teams have been challenged for games. The team is made up almost entirely of old high school players and lots of the old plays used by the school team are being used. Negotiations are under way for a game with the Macon, Georgia high school football team. This will be a nice trip for the team and if nothing interferes it will be very interesting.

Sergeant Milton Bishop, Smith Fuller, Abe McManus and Walter Smith have been named the mess hall scavengers in Company D. There's never anything left over for the next meal. Lieutenant Montgomery ("Gummy") Dilworth was seen without a tummy in his mouth today. It may be that his supply has run out.

"Pat" McManus said he was going to "buy a Liberty Bond and free Ireland."

Fred Daniels is recovering from a bolt on the back of his neck.

Percy Sheetz and "Grandpa" Ritchie are still holding forth in the kitchen. They can't be beat.

John Smith of Brownsville, has been appointed orderly to Lieutenant Lynn of the medical staff.

Phil Swartzwelder, the only married man in the corps, can only sit and look on. Phil don't even go to town.

The "ball room boys" held a stag dance in the mess hall last evening. The feature of the evening was the exhibition hesitation waltz by Percy Sheetz and Jimmie Darr.

It is reported here late tonight that the Tenth Regiment which under the new reorganization was to have become the 11th Infantry, will be made the 11th Infantry of the 5th Brigade. The Eighteenth Regiment will remain intact.

Mount Pleasant

Special to The Courier.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Oct. 15.—Mrs. William Bowers entertained the ladies of the W. C. T. U. at their annual social at her East Main street home on Friday evening. The report of the state convention was given by Mrs. J. L. Updegraff and Mrs. G. W. Stoner. There was special music and refreshments were served to the 32 present. Mrs. J. L. Updegraff was presented with a dozen silver salad forks as a token of gratitude for the services she rendered the local union, which she has served as treasurer ever since she came to town. She also has served in the capacity of press superintendent and Sabbath observance superintendent.

Farewell Sermon.

Rev. J. L. Updegraff preached his farewell sermon at the Church of God yesterday. The Bible class presented Mrs. J. L. Updegraff with a chest of silver and Rev. Updegraff with a leather rocker. Rev. E. Fulmer of Franklin will come and take charge of the local pastorate and Rev. Nathan Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lewis of this place, will go to Franklin to take charge of the church there.

Farewell Party.

Miss Bertha Shupe gave a farewell party at her Main street home on Saturday evening for Miss Edith Updegraff. Many nice presents were received by Miss Updegraff. Refreshments were served and the evening was spent in playing games.

Visits Aviation Camp.

Mrs. Meade Mulvihill spent Saturday and Sunday with her husband, Attorney Meade Mulvihill at Princeton University where he is in training for a United States aviation corps. Mrs.

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Go Back to Old Pennsylvania! would sound much better to the Keystone state boys.

E. J. O'Connor and Johnnie Kenner were shopping in "Petersburg" Wednesday afternoon.

CONNELLSVILLE IS DEFEATED 35-0 BY GREENSBURG HIGH

Team Puts Up Good Fight in Early Portion of Game But Weakens Later

Connellsville went down to defeat at the hands of Greensburg at the latter place on Saturday, 35 to 0—five touchdowns and as many goals. After the 0-0 tie of last year defeat by such a score was something of a jolt but Greensburg deserved to win. At the beginning of the game it looked as if Connellsville might hold the Westmoreland boys to one or two touchdowns but after the first score the locals went pretty much to pieces.

It was early apparent that Connellsville could not gain but the team put up such a stubborn resistance that it seemed just as likely that Greensburg would not get the ball over the line. That was in the first quarter. Afterward intercepted forward passes and long runs through a field of Connellsville men made the locals look rather foolish.

Connellsville's most brilliant showing was in the third quarter, when pretty forward passes from Lyons to Welsgerber electrified the spectators and made it look as though the locals might score. Alas! it was only for a few seconds later when a Greensburg man intercepted one of the forwards and destroyed all hopes for a touchdown. Ake excelled as a line plunger and Welsgerber made some pretty tackles all with the assistance of Lyons worked the forward passes that were the most spectacular features of the game. The little quarterback is showing up better in every contest. Captain McCormick and Bill Lyons also played a good game.

Michael Porella, Connellsville end, was injured in the last period and had to be carried off the field. He recovered, however, and is reported to be as well as ever today.



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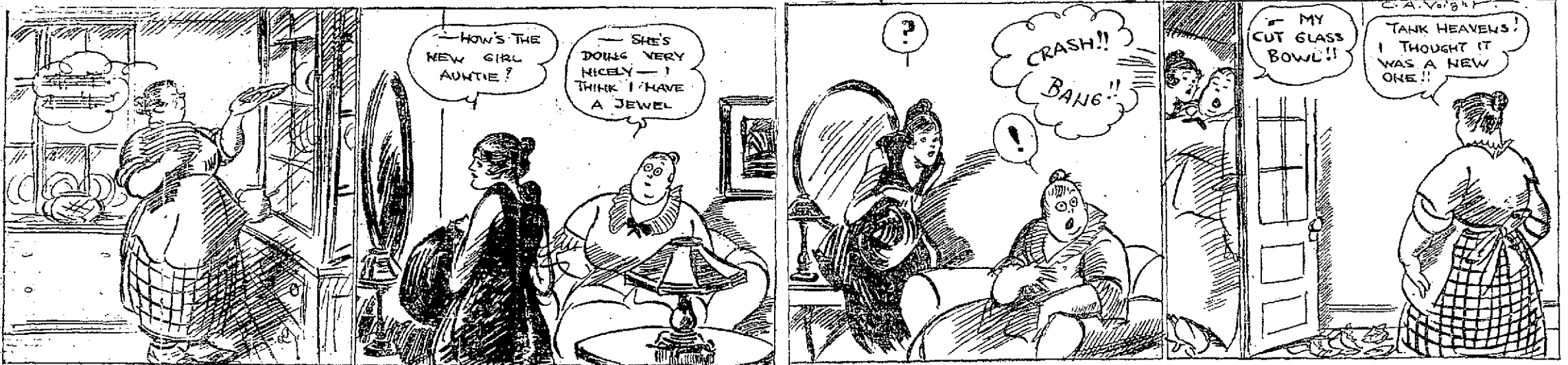
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"Our army preserved baseball. The game would have died out during the Civil war but for them. They kept it going and have kept it up ever since. They carried it into the Philippines and into Cuba and have made it the international game. With it they civilized the Philippines.

"And now," continues Griffith, rising to an oratorical flight, "you are taking this game into France. More than that, you are going to take it into Germany when you roll the Germans across the Rhine. You are the boys who are going to roll them back. Nobody else is going to do it. You are. And when you do, I want you to take this game with you and teach it to the Germans when the war is over. You're going to carry baseball into Germany, and when you do it will teach them sportsmanship and ideas of honor, of which they seem totally devoid."

FRED ANDERSON'S RISE

Only Ex-Fed Hurler to Share in World's Series Coin.

Was Ushered Into Citizenship Twenty-Five Years Ago at Stateville, N. C.—Valuable Player to Call On in Pinch.

Fred Anderson, who came to the Giants from the Buffalo Bisons, is the only ex-Federal league pitcher who shared in the cutting of the world's series melon this fall.

Incidentally, Anderson's rise to ma-



Fred Anderson.

for league class has been a rapid one. For prior to joining the Giants, in 1910, he had only a glimpse of big league company, and he probably has the Federal league to thank for the fact that he came into notice as a pitcher who possessed big league class.

Like Ruben Benton, one of his pitch line mates, Anderson is a native of North Carolina. He was neared into citizenship at Stateville, N. C., some twenty-five odd years ago and, like Benton, he started pitching independent ball before he was sixteen years old.

Several years ago the Boston Americans got wind that a young hurler named Anderson was going great guns

in professional ranks "somewhere below the Mason-Dixon line" and a scout was sent South to give him the up and down. As a result Anderson got a tryout with Boston, but was turned over to a minor league club in New England for more seasoning.

About that time the Buffalo Bisons were scouring the minors for pitching material, and as Anderson was dissatisfied they had no trouble getting his name to a contract. Then, when the Bisons busted up, McGraw picked him from among a host of Federal league pitchers and he has succeeded in making good.

Anderson is a right-hander, and although not the most sensational of McGraw's pitchers, is a hard worker. He uses a good assortment of twisters and is capable of taking his regular turn in the box, but because McGraw's three southpaws have been going great guns this year the ex-Fed wiggler has not been called upon to do a great amount of work.

When the Giants went South last spring many of the scribes who accompanied the team thought that Anderson would be forced to step aside for Jimmy Middleton, the right-hander secured by McGraw from the Louisville club, but when the wedding-out process came it was Anderson who stuck, and he's still there. Anderson is a valuable man to call into the box as a pinch pitcher, for he has good control and is steady under fire.

RECORD OF CENTRAL LEAGUE

Did Not Sell a Player to Major League Club—Several Went Up Again Under Recall.

The Central league made the record of not selling a player to major league clubs, according to a Grand Rapids correspondent. The Brooklyn club was supposed to have bought Pitcher Wachtel from Muskegon, but that deal is reported off. Catcher Harry Smith of Fort Wayne is to get a trial with Cincinnati, but that sale is only conditional and the sale announced by Toronto of Catcher Bob Farrell is not an actual purchase. Several players go up again under recall, but the actual sales are nil.

Heating Water by Electricity. Water in a kitchen tank may be heated in the summer time without stirring a fire in the range, provided there is electricity in the house. A rod about an inch and a quarter thick and about fifty inches long filled with an insulating, nonconducting fluid in which a resistance coil is submerged is connected with electric wires and inserted in the tank. When the current is turned on all the energy supplied to the rod is dissipated in the water in the form of heat.

TO KEEP YOUTHFUL

ALWAYS MIX WITH YOUR WORK A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF PLAY.

New York Expert Physical Director Tells How to Avoid Growing Old—His Treatment for Tired Business Men.

An advocate of play as a prevention of old age is Dr. Louis R. Weizsäcker, physical director of New York's West Side Young Men's Christian association, says Hawthorne Daniel in the World's Work.

"A man was in here just this morning," he said in answer to my question as to what he did to keep men young, "who is in the 'old man' class, and in years he is young. Let me see." and he looked at a card covered with data concerning the man in question. "He was born in '84. That makes him thirty-two, but he is as old as most men of fifty. With him it is overwork, resulting in nerves. He finds it almost impossible to concentrate. When he starts along a certain line, when he wants to run along a single track, so to speak, he finds that his mind is continually turning switches that put him on to the sidetracks. I am going to make him play. I am going to make him play until he stays on the main line. I'll give him a medicine ball and teach him to become so interested in that ball that everything else is out of his head."

He stopped for a moment, and looked out on to the busy gymnasium floor. "Then some other men," he continued, "get into a rut and can't get out. Instead of being switched on to every sidetrack by their minds, they are kept diligently at work on the main line. You have seen business men who could not forget their business. All the time their business problems are uppermost in their minds. When they come to me I make them play. I get them interested in something else."

"Did you ever see a filter cleaned by reversing the flow of water? The water going in one direction leaves sediment behind it until the filter does not operate at it should. Then, when you reverse the flow, the sediment 'bolls' out, and always you are surprised to see how much was there. That's what play does. It reverses the flow, and it takes out of you all the grubbiness and worry."

"When I find that I am getting short and crusty in my answers to the boys around here, I go out and play baseball. When I come back I feel younger. I believe that a man is as young as he acts. He grows old because he does old things. You must have noticed how the mother of a large family stays young when her husband grows old. I believe the reason is that she plays young games with the children, while he sits with his newspaper and his troubles."

The Armenians.

The New International Encyclopedia says: "By language the Armenians, or, as they call themselves, Haik, are entitled to rank as a very old branch of the Aryan stock, in some respects intermediate between the Aryans of Europe and the Aryan peoples of middle Asia. Physically also they are of a primitive type, short and thickset, dark-skinned, and of exaggerated brachycephalism, in part artificially induced. They are thought to be related, on the one hand, to the 'Alpine' stock of Europe, and on the other to the Gutchians, etc., of central Asia. They inhabited in early prehistoric times a considerable portion of Asia Minor, and have contributed to, or borrowed from, Aryans of other types, Semites, Caucasian peoples, and later intruding Europeans and Turks. Prof. F. von Luschan (1911) is of opinion that the modern Armenians are the descendants of the pre-Semitic population of the region, whom he identifies with the old Elutites. He also believes that from this same Armenoid race came the so-called 'Alpine race' of Europe."

Women Win in Russia.

Moscow, universally, the oldest and most authoritative university in the empire, has ever kept its doors fast against feminine ingress. Now, at last, this barrier has been swept away, and the Russian ministry of education and the faculty council of the university have announced that hereafter women will be admitted in full equality with the men, in all courses.

The faculty council, in providing for this new arrangement, has stipulated that the women students desiring to matriculate into the university, must do so by examinations held in the boys' gymnasia. The gymnasia, in Russia, cover the curriculum undergone in America by the high school and the freshman and sophomore years of college.

The women's institutes are not as rigid as the gymnasia, and it is for this reason that the university demands that the women be put on absolutely the same standard as the men.

UMPIRE SHOWED HIS NERVE

Manager McGraw Relates Incident Showing Courage of Tim Hurst in Important Ball Game.

"I never saw an umpire display more nerve in a critical situation than the late Tim Hurst did one day in Cleveland years ago," said John McGraw.

"I was with the Orioles, and at the time we had to dress in a shack under the grandstand, adjoining another in which the Cleveland team dressed. In the Cleveland dressing room a small space had been set apart for Hurst to dress in, which led to a rather ticklish situation.

"In an important game we had Cleveland beaten 2 to 0, when they went to bat in the ninth and filled the bases with two out. Pat Tebeau was at bat and he jumped out in front of the batter's box to smash a slow drop which the pitcher delivered to him, driving the ball to the fence in left center for three bases. The runners scored, and it looked as if the game was over, but Wilbert Robinson, who was catching for us, called Hurst's attention to the fact that Tebeau had stepped out of his box, and Tim called him out, at which there was a near riot.

"The Cleveland players were in a rage and threatened Hurst with all kinds of bodily harm, but Tim calmly walked down to their dressing room, donned his clothes and as calmly walked out without so much as glancing at the home team. It took real courage to do that, but Tim never flinched."

BOXING LIKED BY SOLDIERS

Art of Self-Defense Has for Long Time Been Encouraged in English Army and Navy.

The introduction of the manly art of self-defense into the training work of the various military camps throughout this country will be a good thing for the young soldiers.

In England boxing has for a long time been encouraged in the army and navy.

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"There's no hurry now," answered Donald.

Suddenly Davies' voice came up in agitated tones. "Donald!" he cried. "It looks as if the monsters are following MacBeard after all! Don't you see, they are with him, not us?"

"They wouldn't keep us in the center necessarily," said Donald. "Yesterday we nearly lost them."

"But then—do you suppose they are leading us somewhere?"

"I don't know," Donald answered. "Full speed!"

Donald, hurrying back, drove the F35 hard between the mighty walls of granite. In front of him he saw an open body of water, raged with faraway hills. He was in Skjold fjord. But not a vestige of the monsters was to be seen.

Once through that gateway he lashed the wheel and went on deck. The quarry had disappeared. A glance assured him of that. The limpid water of the fjord lay motionless before him. Behind him the passage seemed to have closed.

He rushed back into the conning tower.

"Shut down!" he yelled to Davies. "Tell Clouts to let the anchor go. MacBeard has beaten us."

Davies, released from duty, rushed up to find his chief standing at the entrance to the conning tower, a prey to abject despair.

"It's finished, Davies," he said wearily. "We're beaten. There's a missing factor in this—damned equation of yours."

And he toppled over into Davies' arms, insensible from want of sleep. The tension of his nerves was broken. Davies and Clouts carried him to his cabin and laid him down. They returned to the deck, almost equally despairing.

"The herd has left us, Clouts," said the midly. "I don't know—I can't understand it. Clouts," he continued, with a sudden inspiration, "do you think that you could induce the queen to sound that call again?"

"What, ma, sir?" inquired Clouts, starting back. "Why—she's not a woman, sir, she's a devil incarnate. She won't eat, sir." His voice fell to a husky whisper. "And she won't wear the cap'n's blankets, sir."

"Perhaps she doesn't like them, Clouts. However—what are we to do?"

"I say, make for home, sir," said Clouts. "I never took no stock in the whole thing, Mr. Davies."

"What are you talking about, Clouts?"

"Why, sir, I never believed in it from the first, sir. I believe it is still less now. It's all a dream, sir. There never was no monsters."

"But you've seen them, Clouts. You've been under the sea with them?"

"Ah, I know, sir, that's what we both think," answered Clouts with a wise smile. "But it's just a dream, sir. I expect that German cruiser torpedoed us instead of us torpedoing her; maybe she sank up with her guns, and we're going to wake up in a German hospital in Hamburg in a moment. You haven't pinched yourself, sir?"

Davies was shaken. He looked at Clouts, blandly smiling at him, open-mouthed. He almost believed his theory. Clouts, unequal to the strain upon his limited mentality, had adopted a solution which seemed, under the circumstances, feasible.

"I think I'd better pinch each other, sir," said Clouts. "Mrs. Clouts always used to say, when in doubt—"

But, breaking off at this juncture, he pulled his mouth open from his pocket and blew the most discordant medley of dissonants that ever issued from the apertures of that much abused instrument.

To their amazement, the water was instantaneously churned into foam all around them. The F35 tossed like a cork upon the waves. A floating island began to rise from the surface of the fjord.

"Hatches on!" gasped Davies, and they ran to save the F35 from submersion.

Hardly had they succeeded in this and reached the conning tower when Donald appeared at the head of the ladder below. His eyes were clear again; it seemed as if his half-hour of sleep had recreated him.

"What's happened, Davies?" he asked.

"The monsters! They're all about us!" cried the midly.

"Well, of course," said Donald. "You don't suppose I came here on a wild-goose chase, do you?"

"But you said we were beaten, sir, and—"

"Nonsense!" said Donald angrily. "They've been with us all the time. You don't expect that they can keep on condensing hydrogen forever without taking a rest, do you? Muscular fatigue, Davies. Hi lo!"

He pointed through the observation port, and about a mile to port of them, they saw the motorboat, bobbing upon the agitated waves.

"We've got him, Davies," said Donald. "I knew it. I knew it all in my sleep—the solution and—and—it's going to be all right."

They were amazed at his resolution. He uttered his orders in a firm voice; he seemed now absolutely sure of his success. Through the port they watched the motorboat tossing toward them over the waves. They could make out MacBeard's figure beside the conning tower. He was looking toward the motorboat.

"Up anchor, Clouts," said Donald. "Davies, take the engine again."

Presently the submarine began to move so as to cut off MacBeard's escape into the open sea. Then, at Donald's command, they drew toward the motorboat.

MacBeard had seen them. He was working frantically at the engine. The

inland sea still heaved, but it was beginning to subside as the monsters, fearful of Clouts' mouth organ, began to draw toward the submarine again.

Then, for the third time, the imprisoned queen gave the swarming call. The sound, soft, yet incredibly voluminous, rolled from the interior of the ship and seemed to fill the universe. It was like a deep, soft note upon some mighty organ. And the response was instant.

For the third time the swarm, mad-dened by the call, leaped toward its leader. And, as on Fair Island, a tidal bore came on, a wall of water which struck the F35 and rendered her helpless in an instant. It dashed her helplessly to a top, it drove her, uncontrollable, before it. In an instant the steering gear was disabled, and the vessel skidded through the waves toward the cliffs of the fjord, which grew larger with unbelievable swiftness.

It was the last voyage of the F35. The battered old submarine which had rendered such yeoman service, drove hard on the rocks. A needle point pierced her amidships, a score of razor edges rent her flanks. Slowly she sank, still spinning, into the seething waters that whirled the desolate shore.

As soon as they realized that nothing could be done, the three had gathered upon the deck and waited for the disaster. As the F35 struck they leaped into the sea. They escaped the hidden fangs of the rocks, almost by miracle. A few strokes, and Donald found himself upon the shore, which the waves were wildly lashing, and helping Davies to scramble out.

They gasped a moment and recovered their breath.

"Where's Clouts?" asked Donald anxiously.

Then they saw the sailor's head bobbing among the waves. He was apparently clinging to a point of rock with one hand, while he thrust the other down into the water.

"Clouts! Are you drowning?" Donald called.

A bubbling sound replied. Donald waded into the sea, clinging to the projecting reef to save himself against the pounding waves. As he neared Clouts, the latter straightened himself and sighed regretfully.

"What is it, Clouts? Are you badly hurt?" asked Donald.

"No, sir," he gasped. "But I've—I've lost it, sir!"

Donald grasped him and pulled him through the breakers to dry land urgently. At that moment Clouts had strained his patience severely with his lost mouth organ.

"Look, sir!" said Davies, when the three stood together once more.

Two hundred yards away MacBeard and Ida were standing beside the motorboat. MacBeard's light craft, built upon scientific principles of his own devising, had once again established its worth. The waves—and luck—had driven it ashore uninjured. And MacBeard seemed to be inviting Ida to re-enter it.

The game seemed to MacBeard's hands once more.

"Come!" shouted Donald, starting forward.

But before he had broken into a run Clouts stood barring his way.

"I've found her, sir!" he shouted. "Look, sir!"

Donald was on the point of knocking the sailor down. His mouth organ had become a justification for homicide.

But Clouts was not making reference to his mouth organ just then. A cry from Davies stopped Donald upon the verge of delivering his blow. Donald started and saw, close to his side, the evanescent, nebulous outlines of the queen of the swarm.

And in that moment the memory of Ida faded from his mind. He stared at her like a man bewitched.

Her face, which had always been the most conspicuous part, was strangely clouded. It was, indeed, as if a veil of vapor had been drawn over it. It seemed to cover her like a long, thin, white, giving her the aspect of a shrouded figure.

Davies did not stay to watch that meeting. Neither did Clouts. They started at full speed toward MacBeard, who, already having launched his motorboat upon the waves, was holding out his hand to Ida.

She hesitated and drew back. They were only fifty paces away. And, torn between her pledge and the desire to see Donald for one last moment on earth, she got almost waiting.

Donald, alone with the queen, looked into her face and was aware of nothing else.

She raised her arms, slowly she threw off the draperies of clinging mist that covered her head. She stretched her arms out toward him. "She fell upon her knees."

Her face was visible now, and Donald was aware of a startling change in it. The beauty that had dazzled him was gone. A milky pallor, spread along the veins and arteries, suffused the flesh. The queen, who was passing over her that had passed over the dying monster in the house in Baltimore.

With horror Donald realized that she was dying.

She crouched at his feet; she raised her eyes to his once more in that mute yearning. And her face was that of an aged woman.

For a few seconds longer the eyes looked into Donald's. Then, without closing, they seemed to gaze. A film passed over them, and, with a shudder, the queen fell at his feet—dead!

She had given her life in payment for her disobedience to the racial law. It is by such disobedience that the race evolves into something higher than itself.

By such man rose from his apathy, and all worlds will cease.

Donald tore the coat from his

shoulders and covered the body of the aged woman—thing before him.

CHAPTER XVIII.

MacBeard Finds His Destiny.

He stood at full attention; he was trying to fight his way back into consciousness. For a few moments he did not know where he was, or what was happening.

Then, gradually, he began to be aware of his surroundings. He saw the body at his feet, and the high cliffs about him. And in the distance he saw Clouts and Davies running toward the motorboat.

Ida stood watching Donald. She was still hesitating. MacBeard had found that he could start his engine. His hand was on hers. Davies and Clouts were fifty paces away.

"Come!" said MacBeard.

The girl shuddered, and suddenly she leaped into the boat. MacBeard threw himself against the gunwale and pushed it into deep water. He sprang aboard. He was twenty paces from the shore when his pursuers arrived at the water line. Davies whipped out his revolver.

MacBeard crouched behind Ida and raised her body before him for a shield. The girl knew nothing of this maneuver, for she had fainted.

"Surrender, you blackguard," shouted Davies, hoarse with passion.

MacBeard, trembling, covered behind him. With his hand, stretched out behind her, he guided the little craft. The distance was increasing swiftly.

Davies let his revolver hand fall. He knew that at that distance it was impossible to hit MacBeard with any certainty. And he could not run the risk of shooting Ida.

Impetuously he plunged into the water. At first his desperate strokes seemed almost to carry him as fast as



"I'm Your Master! Do You Know It Now?"

the motorboat. But soon this was shown to be delusive. The distance was increasing every instant. Davies clung to a ledge of rock and panted for breath. He shook his free fist at MacBeard, who laughed scornfully.

He had seen the F35 settle beneath the waves, and knew that by no possible chance could Donald catch him. He turned to Ida, who was just opening her eyes. He took her hand. It lay limp and cold in his own. He saw her shudder, and a diabolical fury overcame him. He struck her across the face with his open hand.

"I'm your master! Do you know it now?" he demanded.

She did not answer him. He looked at the red marks left by his fingers on her cheek, and the sight aroused in him a fresh, demonic passion. Enraged, he shouted by the secrets of his life to her. He, the thief, the outlaw, had conquered the world!

Why should he fulfill his compact to keep the monsters within the bounds of Skjold fjord?

He had at first intended to. He had abandoned, under the sway of his passion for the girl, his dreams of world conquest. With Ida's love, he had even indulged in the idea of becoming an ordinary man. He had wanted to take her to America and lose his identity there in some peaceful existence.

He had recognized that it is this same impulse which fills the world with omen for men, patient beasts who, with single-hearted purpose, become lords of their fate. But he had weighed his new hopes with the past and found them heavier.

Then the girl's coldness, her indifference, had convinced him that winning love was quite different from inventing scientific apparatus and discovering new laws. During the long, silent voyage to Norway he had realized that he could never win her. He could embrace only a cold form whose heart was another's.

And, with the awakening from his dream, the worst in the man—if any quality was worse than another—had come to the top. He meant to keep Ida and still achieve his purpose.

Donald's rebuke in bringing the herd to Norway by the submarine method had completely deceived MacBeard. He had thought all along that the monsters had followed his motorboat in obedience to his tuning fork. He had not heard the call of the queen, because its swift vibrations were audible as sound only for a very limited distance, in spite of their effect upon the men of the F35.

Now he resolved to lead the herd back to the European shores and complete his work of destruction. He had scattered the obsolete navy that was sent out against him. He would go on with no idea of mercy. He would annihilate humanity. He would make himself sole master of mankind.

And Ida should be his mate, but not his equal, as he had planned. He would vent his rage on her. He would teach her his powers. When he was the only other human being existing, then perhaps she would begin to understand. He shouted all this to her. He overcame her with screams and rhetoric.

Ida, however, missed the keenness of the points he made. She saw only a madman, foaming at the mouth, and she took pride in her sacrifice. She looked back toward Donald. She saw him between the two other figures upon the shore, very little and very far away.

MacBeard saw the look and under-

stood. He raised his hand again to strike her, but he refrained. Instead, he reached into the cabin of the motorboat and took his tuning forks from under the seat. And by that act of treachery he wrote the last page of his history.

He slung them about his neck, and, taking the rod, he sounded the G note to call the swarm together.

The note rang true across the waters. Exhausted by their efforts, the monsters were incapable any longer of condensing the hydrogen, but the impulse to reply remained. From every part of the inland sea they swarmed toward him.

The sea rose into a choppy surge. The motorboat, riding the waves like a cork, heaved and pitched. Ida saw MacBeard, his eyes alight with triumph, his face blazing with hatred, now above her, and now below, as he sat in the pitching stern.

But the death of the queen had been the death-call of the swarm; instinctively they were aware of it, and the single purpose that had animated the herd was gone. Anarchy had replaced order. The swarm had become mere blind mechanism, and devoid of purpose.

Anarchy possessed them, and it was furious, as everywhere. So it is in the state, when it obtains power. So in the human body, when the cells rebel and organized life flares out. The swarm came on, a mere discordant multitude.

MacBeard, seated in the stern, felt five sharp pokes on the hand that dangled toward the water. He drew it back hurriedly. He imagined that some insect had stung him. Then a stiffer lash hit him across the face. Two more seized him about the body.

An instant later, a d he was out of the boat, which, released from his weight and from the sea devils, righted itself again. Then he began the struggle for life which he had always feared. The nightmare that had brooded over his dreams had at last come true. The infuriated monsters had turned upon the author of the call!

He clung to the gunwale, calling wildly for aid. He heard Ida's screams. He knew that her impulse was to save him. Perhaps that was as bitter as the physical torment; perhaps some linking of a higher law did reach his mind before the end.

But if it did, it was only a momentary dash of light.

He felt the cold embrace of the leathery bodies. He heard the snapping jaws. He was torn from his hold, striking, and tossed into the air, from head to foot. His cries were so frenzied that they even reached the ears of those who watched on the shore.

He shrieked and fought, but he had as much chance for life as primitive man caught by a herd of dinosaurs. For a few moments his bobbing body was visible, grotesquely frayed upon the churning waves. Then it was rent limb from limb.

He disappeared, and, fighting over their prey, the sea devils played the last act of their own drama. They fell upon each other. It was the tragedy of the hive—the annual massacre of the drones; only they were all drones. Nature had no more use for them, now that their queen was gone.

Never had such a spectacle been seen by man before. The entire face of the inland sea was a tumult of fighting monsters. The dead grew into visibility as they became thicker. The floating patches of white almost obscured the waves. And still the fight became more frenzied.

They tore each other and themselves. They lashed the waves into foam; animal debris floated from end to end of the fjord. As the dead drifted toward the shore the struggle became more furious in the heart of the sea.

Gradually it subsided. The last of the herd was gone. The battle that was to decide the fate of the world had been a civil one, and fought out without man's agency.

The lesh of the waves drove the light motorboat toward the cliffs. It stranded not five hundred feet from where Donald and his friends, awestruck, had watched the progress of the drowned. They saw toward it and pulled Ida from the water. It had seemed incredible that she could have survived.

For a long time she lay motionless. Drenched with the brackish water, her hair unbound, she seemed to sleep in Donald's arms, while he and Davies worked frantically to revive her.

Davies raised his head at last and looked at Donald fixedly. Donald refused to meet his gaze.

They set to work again. For two hours longer they went through the movements of the resuscitation of the drowned. They stopped at last, exhausted. Davies laid his hand on Donald's shoulder; this time it was he who could not meet his friend's look. Suddenly they heard Clouts shouting, mad with joy.

"Look, sir! Mr. Davies, look!" he screamed.

They swung around. The girl's eyes had opened, and there was recognition in them.

She drew the first faint breath; her weak arms stole round Donald's neck. And in the universal joy nobody minded Clouts' mouth organ, as he blew "Home, Sweet Home."

"Hoory!" he yelled, tossing up his cap at the finale. "Mr. Davies, sir! I've just as I told you, isn't it? We've brought her back to life, and now we're going to wake up ourselves."

"What do you mean, Clouts?" asked Davies.

"Why, sir, don't you see? We've just been picked up and landed from the Boats. And we've been dreaming all sorts of deliriums about sea monsters, and snicklike. If I might be allowed, sir, I'll put it to Captain Fayot. Ain't we just been rescued after torpedoing the cruiser, sir?" he asked.

"Ain't the whole thing a dream?" Donald looked up. "I don't know, Clouts," he said. "I think you may be right. But it's a happy one."

Davies looked at him in dismay. "Do you really mean that, Donald?" he asked. "Do you honestly think that we have dreamed all this?"

"It's as plausible as any other explanation," Donald replied. "I can't see why we shouldn't have. It's too preposterous—all that about the sea devils and that harmless crank MacBeard, who used to have newspaper vogue with poor old Masterman. As likely as not we'll see him haunting the inventors' club when we get back,

quite ignorant of the part he has played in our lives. You know dreams do do that—they put inconsequential people into absurdly important positions."

"But—hang it, Donald, how does Miss Kennedy happen to be here?"

"Why, wasn't she on board the De-otia?" Donald replied. "At any rate, it's all true, what have we got to show for it?"

He had placed his arm across his breast, and at that moment he felt the outline of dampened paper in his inner pocket. He pulled out—the two pages of Masterman's letter.

Donald unfolded it. It was quite legible, in spite of the stains of seawater; but now for the first time he realized that he held not one page, but two. They had become stuck together in some manner, and Donald had not perceived the second page.

It was in the form of a postscript, and was the last sheet of the original manuscript, which Masterman, in his characteristic way, had inserted after the first. He had written:

"But thank God, Donald, my boy, man with triumph after all I thought the monsters were invulnerable! That nothing could show against them. But the Lord knew what he was doing when he made them. There will be only three weeks of suffering for man. Donald—three weeks for the creatures live for their queen. They can hardly be said to have independent life. They are sterile, like the bees, and the queen has a life-span of three weeks alone. When she dies the old swarm destroys itself. If the queen can be captured, all will be well. The queen has three weeks in which to grow to maturity, fulfil the purpose of her existence."

"What a tragedy! Of course time may seem longer to her, but we deem our duty years all too short. We are saved, Donald."

The letter rumbled on, but Donald, without finishing it handed it to Davies, who read it and gave it back.

"If MacBeard had known that—" he began.

"I think that if it is the rock on which he founded, answered Donald. "He worked out everything mathematically, but he ignored the larger purpose of the Creator."

"Are, are, sir?" interpolated Sam Clouts, feeling in his pocket. "If you'll excuse me, sir, that motorboat seems wreck-proof, and I'd like to see whether it's still in good enough order to take us home."

Which proved to be the case.

(THE END.)

King of the Khyber Rifles

A Romance of Adventure

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CHAPTER I.

The men who govern India—more power to them and her!—are few. Those who stand in their way and pretend to help them with a flood of words are a host. The charge has been the light in print during the last spring of plague and sudden death and money lenders—has sold her soul to twenty succeeding conquerors in turn.

So when the world war broke the world was destined to be surprised on India's account. The Red Sea, full of racing transports crowded with dark-skinned gentlemen, whose one prayer was that the war might not be over before they should have struck a blow for Britain, was the Indian army's answer to the press.

More than one nation was deeply shocked by India's answer to "the Red Sea." That had extended over years. But there were men in India who learned to love India long ago with that love that casts out fear, who knew exactly what was going to happen and could therefore afford to wait for orders instead of running round in rings.

Atheism King, for instance, nothing yet but a captain unattached, sat in meagerly furnished quarters with his heels on a table. He is not a doctor, yet he read a book on surgery; and when he went over to the club he carried the book under his arm and continued to read it there.

In the other room where the telegraph blanks were littered in confusion all about the floor, the other officers sat and smoked and read about surgery; and before he had nearly finished one

King's tongue licked his lips, and his eyes wrinkled. The general's voice became the least shade more authoritative.

"When you see her, get a pass from her that'll take you into Khyber caves! Ask her for it! For the sake of appearances I'll gazette you seconded to the Khyber rifles. For the sake of success, get a pass from her!"

"Very well, sir."

"You're a brother in the Khyber rifles, haven't you? Was it you or your brother who visited Khinjan once and sent in a report?"

"I did, sir."

He spoke without pride. Even the Brigade of British-Indian cavalry that went to Khinjan on the strength of his report and leveled its defenses with the ground, had not been able to find the famous caves. Yet the caves themselves are a byword.

"There's talk of a Jihad (holy war). There's worse than that! When you object to Khinjan, what was your chief object?"

"To find the source of the everlasting rumors about the so-called 'Heart of the Hills,' sir?"

"Yes, yes. I remember. I read your report. You didn't find anything, did you? Well, the story is now that the 'Heart of the Hills' has come to life. So the spies say."

King whistled softly.

"There's no guessing what it means," said the general. "Go and work with Tasmul. The spies keep bringing in rumors of ten thousand men in Khyber caves, and of another large lakhar not far away from Khinjan. There must be no Jihad. King! India is all but defenseless! This story about a 'Heart of the Hills' coming to life may presage unity of action and a holy war such as the world has not seen. Go up there and stop it if you can. At least, let me know the facts."

King granted. To stop a holy war might be harder than to stop a war. He stopped the wind—possibly enough, if one knew the way. Yet he knew no general would throw away a man like himself on a useless venture. He began to look happy.

The general clucked to the mare and one wheel ceased to touch the gravel as they whirled along a semicircular drive. Under the porch of a pretentious residence, sentries saluted, the sails swung down and in less than sixty seconds King was following the general through a wide entrance into a crowded hall. The instant the general's hat flung darkened the doorway twenty men of mixed rank then King, native and English, rose from lined-up chairs and pressed forward.

"Sorry—have to keep you all waiting—busy!" He waved them aside with a little apologetic gesture. "Come in here, King."

King followed him through a door that slammed tight behind him on ruber jambs.

"Sit down."

The general unlocked a steel drawer and began to rummage among the papers in it. In a minute he produced a package, bound in rubber bands, with a faded photograph face upward on the top.

"That's the woman! How d'you like the look of her?"

King took the package and for a

captains very often; yet King climbed into the dogcart unhesitatingly, after keeping the general waiting while he checked a trunk!

The general cracked his whip without any other comment than a smile. A blood more rare sparks out of the macadam, and a dusty military road began to ribbon out between the wheels. Sentries in unoccupied places announced themselves with a ring of shaken steel as their rifles came to the "present," which courtesies the general noticed with a raised white. On the dogcart's high front seat, staring straight ahead of him between the horse's ears, King listened. The general did nearly all the talking.

"The North's the danger."

King grunted with the idea half-forgotten over half-dark eyes. He did not look especially handsome in that attitude. Some men swear he looks like a Roman, and others liken him to a gargoyle, all of them choosing to ignore the smile that can transform his whole face instantly.

"We're denuding India of troops—not keeping back more than a mere handful to hold the tribes in check."

King nodded. There has never been peace along the northwest border. It did not need vision to foresee trouble from that quarter. In fact it must have been nearly a century ago that some of King's reports that the general was planning now.

"Well, the tribes'll know presently how many men we're sending overseas. There've been rumors about Khinjan by the hundred lately. They're cooking something. Can you imagine 'em keeping quiet now?"

"That depends, sir. Yes, I can imagine it."

The general laughed. "That's why I sent for you. I need a man with imagination! There's a woman you've got to work with on this occasion who can imagine a shade or two too much. What's worse, she's ambitious. So I chose you to work with her."

King's lips stiffened under his mustache, and the corners of his eyes wrinkled into crow's feet to correspond. Eyes are never coal-black, of course, but his looked it at that minute.

"You know we've sent men to Khinjan who are said to have entered the caves. Not one of 'em has ever returned."

King frowned.

"She claims she can enter the caves and come out again at pleasure. She has offered to do it, and I have accepted. Can you guess who she is?"

"Not Yasmin!" King hazarded, and the general nodded. The helmet-strap mark, printed indelibly on King's jaw and cheek by the Indian sun, lightened and grew whiter—as the general noted out of the corner of his eye.

"Know her?"

"Know of her, of course, sir. Everybody does. Never met her to my knowledge."

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West Newton Proves Worthy Antagonist and Neither Team Scores; Laughery Suffers Sprained Ankle and May be out of Game for a While

Special to The Courier.

SCOTSDALE, Oct. 15.—Miss Isabel Mildred Dietrich, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Dietrich, died very suddenly on Saturday afternoon, October 13, at 3.30, in the Mount Pleasant Memorial hospital where she had undergone an operation for appendicitis last Monday. Miss Dietrich was 19 years old. She was one of the best known girls of the younger set and was a member of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine of St. John's, and the Social Aid of the Daughters of Isabel. Funeral services will be held at St. John's church on Tuesday morning at 9 A. M. with interment to follow in the St. John's cemetery.

Mrs. Anna Goslicky, one of the oldest residents of Everson, died at her home there on Saturday. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's church and interment will be made in St. Joseph's cemetery.

The Scottdale high school football team played a 0-0 tie game with West Newton at West Newton on Saturday. For Scottdale Gordon played left end; Laughery, left tackle; Dale, left guard; Smeltzer, center; Chain, right guard; Camlin, right tackle; Hutchinson, right end; Beddows, quarterback; Small, right half; Night, left half; and Knowles, fullback. The West Newton team out-weighted the Scottdale team and both teams played excellent ball. The playing of Knowles was a feature throughout the game. Laughery suffered an injury to his ankle just a few minutes before the first half was over and Osterwise took his place. Laughery had his ankle attended to and went back in the game for the last half and played excellent ball. He will likely be out of the game for one or two weeks. The local boys will play at Windber on next Saturday afternoon. They feel confident if they can't bring home a victory they will not allow the Windber boys to score against them.

Athletic Meet.
Great interest is being shown in the local Sunday schools by the boys who are members of the various classes eligible to enter for the first Sunday school athletic meet that will be held in the "Y" gym on the evening of October 27 at 7.30 o'clock. There will be six events for each of the Seniors and the Juniors. For the Seniors there will be a potato race, a rope climb, a standing broad jump, a standing high jump, a horizontal bar and a shot put. For the Juniors there will be a potato race, a rope climb, a standing broad jump, a standing high jump, a horizontal bar and a baseball throw.

Notes.
Miss Estelle Miller, a student at the Pennsylvania College for Women, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Weiner and family of Youngwood spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Shipman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ong in Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Pritts of North Scottsdale attended the farewell service of Rev. J. L. Updegrave given at the Church of God in Mount Pleasant yesterday.

Indian Creek.

INDIAN CREEK, Oct. 15.—Ray and Dorsey Harkness of Jones Hill, spent Saturday among Connellsville friends. George Arzbacher, Sr., of Mill Run, was a business caller in Connellsville Saturday.

Hiram Connor spent over Sunday among Connellsville friends. Frank Stindl, Frank Kooser and Walter Nicholson of Mill Run, were Connellsville business callers Saturday.

Rose Stindl of Mill Run, spent Saturday among Connellsville friends and shopping.

Miss Geneva Cole of Leisenring, is spending a few days here among friends.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ohler from Mill Run, spent Saturday among Connellsville friends and shopping.

S. M. Hutchinson of Mill Run, was a business caller in Connellsville and Uniontown Saturday.

Walter Smith was a business visitor in Connellsville Saturday.

Iverson Morrison was a business caller here Saturday.

Mrs. David Marietta of Mill Run, was calling on Connellsville friends and shopping Saturday.

William Miller of near Mill Run, was a business caller in Connellsville and Uniontown Saturday.

J. H. Barger of Indian Head, was a business caller in Connellsville Saturday.

William Pinkney was a business caller in Uniontown Saturday.

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At the Theatres

THE PARAMOUNT.

"TO THE DEATH."—A five part rich and colorful story of the Southland, of historic Corsica, the island to which Napoleon was exiled, with Madame Petrova, the star of Metro wonderplay, is being presented today. Madame Petrova is seen in the role of Bianca Sylva, the sole support of her sister, Rosa. When she goes to Paris to make the most of her talents foolish Rosa comes to grief. When returning Bianca swears over the dead girl's body to follow her sister's destroyer "To the Death." The true culprit is a secret service agent. He casts the blame on another man, the man Bianca loves. But she must keep her vow and she plunges a dagger into his breast. She then attempts to take her own life. She meets Jules Lartigue and asks his aid. He promises to find the man for her if she will marry him. She marries Lartigue, who then scornfully boasts of having won her by trickery. During an ensuing struggle between Lartigue and Bianca, a woman, who later turns out to be Lartigue's wife, appears on the scene and Lartigue is arrested for bigamy. When Bianca rushes back to her apartment to kill herself beside her lover's side she finds him still alive. The two face a future happiness. The play shows beautiful gardens and shady lanes in cool groves in all their natural beauty. The picture will also be presented tomorrow.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

"THE GIRL WHO COULDN'T GROW UP."—Margaret Fischer, the adventurous young star of photodramas, is featured today in the five reel comedy drama. "The Girl Who Couldn't Grow Up." The story involves pretty Peggy Brockman, who has been brought up by her wealthy father on a big ranch. In order that she may be free of the evils of society, Lord Raleigh visits the Brockmans soon after Brockman has presented Peggy with a stepmother and the two stepdaughters. The stepdaughters are paraded for Raleigh's benefit but Peggy catches the nobleman's eye and becomes Lady Raleigh. A good comedy will also be shown. Tomorrow dainty Mary Miles Minter appears in "Charity Castle." Wednesday William Fox presents June Caprice in "Every Girl's Dream." It is a charming play of childhood, love and adventure and sets a new mark in June's career of making clean and delightful dramas.

THE ARCADE.

"A NIGHT IN HAWAII."—At the Arcade today Halton Powell's Apple Blossom Girls open a week's engagement, and today and tomorrow will offer "A Night in Hawaii," a novelty musical comedy with a tropical setting, featuring the music of Hawaii. In size it might be termed a production as it has 17 song numbers and runs for an hour and 20 minutes. LeRoy Osborne, the principal comedian, is the famous LeRoy Osborne formerly with the Holby Tolly show and later in vaudeville with his Sixty Dancing Girls. Of the Apple Blossom Girls the Old City Blizzard says: "The attendance this week at the Old City Opera House is the greatest in its history. The attraction is the Apple Blossom Girls. 'A Night in Hawaii' might be termed a song revue, as it contains 17 songs, each of which was rendered in a very creditable manner and received encores. Miss Harriet McAllister is the star and she is surrounded by a chorus that can surely sing and dance. The comedy is in the hands of Leo and LeRoy Osborne and they kept the audience in good humor all evening." The picture show today and tomorrow will be Helen Holmes in the second episode of "The Railroad Raiders." On Wednesday and Thursday an electric show is scheduled and it promises to be a big event, the Westinghouse, General Electric and West Penn Power companies furnishing the lobby display and films.

ORPHEUM THEATRE.

During the last engagement of D. W. Griffith's "The Birth of a Nation" in this city nearly as many people were turned away as saw the great spectacle. So many have been the requests for its return that another visit has been arranged for at the Orpheum, October 22 and 23. This magnificent photodrama has done much to show to the North the real South of Civil War and Reconstruction days. Rupert Hughes, the novelist, after seeing "The Birth of a Nation" said: "I have done the South a cruel injustice. They are all dead, those cruelly treated people, but I feel now that I know them as they were; not as they ought to have been, but as they were; as I probably should have been in their place. I have seen them in their homes, in their pride and their glory, and I have seen what they went back to. I understand them better."

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Ohiopele.

OHIOPELE, Oct. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Hamilton and children of Vanderbilt spent Sunday the guest of the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Hamilton.

Glenn Cadwalder of Connellsville spent Sunday calling on Ohiopele friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hershberger and son of Connellsville spent Sunday here the guests of relatives.

Miss Ruth Sailer spent Saturday shopping and calling on friends in Connellsville.

Harry Gletch of Connellsville spent Sunday with his parents here.

Miss Lucy Linderman of Connellsville is spending a few weeks' visit with her mother here.

Fred Rafferty of McAllellandtown spent Saturday in Pittsburg and Sunday at his home on Garrett street.

Mrs. Elsie Hamilton and children spent Saturday and Sunday, calling on relatives at Maple Summit.

Walter McFarland was a Connellsville business caller Saturday.

F. C. Marietta of Connellsville was a caller here Saturday.

Douwer Sailer, F. J. Rafferty and F. E. Burdette motored to Uniontown Sunday.

Miss Bertha and Mildred Harbaugh of Victoria were shopping in town on Saturday.

John Burke and family left Saturday in their car for Terra Alta, W. Va., and other points where they will spend two weeks.

Charles Shaw of Connellsville spent Saturday and Sunday with Ohiopele friends.

Edith Hyatt of Connellsville spent Sunday here with friends.

Miss Helen Robinson spent Saturday in Connellsville.

Mrs. Dan Hall returned to her home at South Connellsville Saturday after a few days spent with relatives here.

Oral Welsh of Connellsville spent Sunday here.

OHIOPELE, Oct. 15.—Ross Cunningham spent Friday in Connellsville on business.

Earle W. Wyne while on his return home from moving Rev. Truman to Normalville, went over the bank of the road wrecking the auto. He escaped unhurt.

Clifford Corristan was a caller in Connellsville yesterday.

T. C. Marietta of Connellsville, was a business visitor here Friday.

Miss Helen Robinson of Ursina, was calling on friends here yesterday.

Edward Jeffries of Confluence, spent Friday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Galas and family of Humbert, arrived here yesterday to visit with friends.

Fred Rafferty spent Saturday in Pittsburg calling on friends.

Miss Maude Ruffe spent Saturday and Sunday at her home at Farmington.

Mrs. L. K. Bailey was a shopper in Connellsville Thursday.

Miss Helen Jones is spending a few days in Connellsville.

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Smithfield.
SMITHFIELD, Oct. 15.—Mrs. T. R. Lynch and children, Jessie, Helen and Cecil of Fairbank, visited relatives here over Saturday and Sunday.

Martin Oltjenko, David Piri, William H. Gilliam and Clarence L. Jones were before the examining board at Point Marion this week. They all claimed exemption on account of dependent wives and families.

Dr. H. B. Guither, who was here on a short leave of absence, left Friday evening for Camp Dix, New Jersey. The doctor has a son, Morford Guither, in the officers training camp at Fort Niagara.

Mrs. Stanley Henechall and mother, Mrs. George Brink of Ontario, were business visitors here Friday evening.

Mrs. Henechall's husband is a draftsman and passed the examination before the board at Indiana, Pa., and is now in Camp Lee, Virginia. Mrs. Henechall is now trying to get his discharge on the ground that she is dependent on his labor for her support.

Mr. and Mrs. William Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Minter, daughters, Mabel, Grace, Devonia and Ruth and Baby William of Grantons Ferry, motored over and spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. O'Neil of New Salem, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

Earl Leadbeater of Gans, was a thorough business visitor Saturday.

James Fremont Thorp was examined before the local board No. 4 at Point Marion Thursday and claimed exemption on account of a dependent wife.

James Jones was a business visitor from Fairchance Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. McCracken and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Sackett returned from the Hagerstown fair at the week end. They say the fair was the best ever.

Robert W. Coleman was before the exemption board at Point Marion Thursday.

Benjamin Conn of Rubie, was a business visitor Friday evening.

G. A. Feather is building the alley in the rear of his Main street store.

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